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Todd & Deb—

Yes, Charles Waback was listed as the MO state rep. of the ABA in the Summer 2000 ABA Quarterly. The position has not yet been filled.

State reps. are appointed by the District Director (Mike Waski). Contact him & tell him you're interested in serving. I'm sure he'll be glad to have you as MO reps.

The duties of the ABA state reps are given in Article V of the ABA<sub>2</sub> Constitution and By-Laws:

"The state and provincial representatives shall look after the affairs of the Association in their respective state or province."



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Your only real responsibility as a state rep. is to help the District Director decide which poultry club in Maryland will be awarded the "state" ASA meet for the year; also the state reps. help keep the district director informed about what's going on in the district in the poultry realm.

10/18/00  
Enclosed is a copy of a recent CPAC Newsletter. We publish about 10 newsletters a year.

Good to hear from you.

Robert



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January 24

Karen:

Some friends of mine who raise American Game bantams, Todd and Deb McWilliams, phoned me last night and I told him that I had just sent an article on Frank Gary (who created the breed) to you for the "2001 Yearbook."

They asked if it would be possible for them to place a quarter or half-page ad immediately before or after my article. I said that I thought it would be possible but that that decision was not mine to make.

If it can be done, they would appreciate it--and I would appreciate it.

If the Frank Gary article were to begin on a right-hand page and their ad were to be placed on the facing left-hand page, that would be very nice.

They have assured me that you will receive their ad before the end of January.

Thanks.

Robert

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It should be ok. Or at least I will do my best.



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Subject: Articles sell ads

Date: January 24, 2001 1:41:44 PM EST

To: [lrhodes@lightband.com](mailto:lrhodes@lightband.com) [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

January 24

Lorna:

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Thanks.

Robert

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Subject: Re: Articles sell ads

Date: January 24, 2001 6:48:15 PM EST

To: s robert powell <[srobertpowell@juno.com](mailto:srobertpowell@juno.com)> [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

I'll try to remember and try to do it. Lorna



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Feather Fancier, 1/22*

**Guinea Fowl Meeting at Wapakoneta**

At the APA semiannual at Wapakoneta, OH on March 17-18, there will be a meeting of those persons who are interested in getting Guinea Fowl into the "American Standard of Perfection." The meeting will take place at 1 P.M. on Saturday, March 17. The specific location of the meeting will be announced in the show hall at Wapakoneta.

The meeting will be under the direction of the Rev. Roland Romig. For additional information about this Guinea Fowl project or the meeting in Ohio, contact Rev. Romig at 570-888-2237.



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## Raising Birds in an Urban Area

Dealing with Zoning Regulations, Ordinances, and the Neighbors

These two articles may be helpful to you if you are having difficulty raising birds in an urban area:

1. Bart Pals' article, "Helping Poultry Breeders Raise Birds in an Urban Area" that was originally published in the 1996 APA Yearbook, pages 121-28.

2. The article, "Can I Have Pigeons Where I Live?" by James F. Avery, the secretary/treasurer of the National Pigeon Association. The article was originally published in the NPA Quarterly Review 2000, Volume III of 4, pp.7-8

In his article, Avery offers eight suggestions of things that you should do (find out about building codes, permits, and licenses; get your neighbors on your side; be a good neighbor, etc.) before you build a pigeon loft in your back yard. Copyright restrictions are such that we can not reprint Avery's article here. But we can point out that virtually all of the points that Avery makes in his article are covered in greater detail in Bart Pals' article.

But, by all means, do contact James Avery (Post Office Box 439, Newalla, OK 74857-0439. Phone 405-386-6884; e-mail: James4Bird@aol.com) and ask him if he or the NPA has any additional information on the topic.

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### Please Help Us to Help Others

If you learn things as you deal with zoning regulations, ordinances, and the neighbors that others should/should not do when dealing with zoning regulations, ordinances, and the neighbors, please convey that information to one of the officers or directors of the American Poultry Association and we will make that information available here for others.

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Here, then, is Bart Pals' article:

### Helping Poultry Breeders Raise Birds in an Urban Area By Bart Pals

Raising poultry within the city limits can be a fun and rewarding experience



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Subject: Nice job.

Date: January 29, 2001 12:46:34 PM EST

To: [lrhodes@lightband.com](#) [Add to Address Book](#)

CC: [prchurch@flash.net](#) [Add to Address Book](#)

January 29, 2001

Lorna:

The Winter 2000-2001 "News and Views" arrived a couple of days ago. Congratulations on a job well done!

There's lots to read in it and important organizational data are recorded therein. The members will surely get the feeling that they are getting their money's worth. (In my opinion, they are getting a great bargain for \$10 a year: the four issues of N&V, the Yearbook, the awards and points recognition. If the dues were \$20 a year, the members would still be getting a very good deal.)

I find it hard to believe that eight of the Directors have nothing to say in the "Notes from Your Directors" section of N&V in the current issue. Is nothing going on in those eight districts? If I lived in one of those districts, I would surely make it known to my director that I expected to see a report from my district in every issue of "News & Views."

I sent to you today, by surface mail, the \$20 ad for the "2001 APA Yearbook" that Herman G. Mahl sent to me, for some reason. I will send to you, tomorrow or Wednesday, a brief article for the "2001 Yearbook" from Mark Whitebread on the Muscovy club that was formed a couple of years ago.

Robert

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Subject: Re: Nice job.

Date: January 30, 2001 7:15:16 AM EST

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Thank you! At least one of these Directors made great promises at election time Lorna



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Subject: is your server down

Date: January 25, 2001 3:31:20 PM EST

To: [srobertpowell@juno.com](#) [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

Robert,

Sam and I both have tried to go out and view your webpages. Is your server down? As we both get "cannot display page".

Let me know.

Hope things are going well.

Peter



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Subject: District 2 webpage

Date: January 29, 2001 1:45:34 PM EST

To: [pmerlin@juno.com](mailto:pmerlin@juno.com) [Add to Address Book](#)

CC: [apanetcontact@home.com](mailto:apanetcontact@home.com) [Add to Address Book](#)

January 29, 2001

Peter and Sam:

Thank you for telling me that you couldn't access the District 2 webpage last week.

Just a few minutes ago, I clicked on the link on the Directors' page on the APA webpage and everything worked just fine. Give it another try. It's been a couple of weeks since I've done any updating on the page and I hope to be able to work on the page this afternoon.

I do know that the Crosswinds server was down for about a week (about a week ago) as things were being updated and service was being improved (one hopes) at Crosswinds. Let's hope that everything is back to normal and that poultry people--even in such remote outposts of civilization as Florida and Texas--can find out what's going on in District 2!

Got the Winter 2000-01 "News and Views" a couple days ago and was pleased to see that there are four of us (Peter, Sam, Fred, and S. Robert) who had something to say in the "Notes from Your Directors" section of the newsletter. EIGHT directors had nothing to say! Is nothing going on in exhibition poultry in those eight districts? If I lived in one of those districts, I would surely make it known to my director that I expected to see a report from my district in EVERY issue of "News and Views."

I am looking forward to Wapakoneta. George Schroeder was very pleased to learn that I nominated him for an APA honor/lifetime achievement award, and he will ride out to Ohio with me in March.

It was zero again this morning. I'm a reasonably cheerful and optimistic fellow, but this zero and sub-zero weather is starting to wear me down.

Robert



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**Subject:** Re: District 2 webpage  
**Date:** January 30, 2001 7:33:58 AM EST  
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Morning Robert - it looks much better now. They seem to have straightened things out.

Sam

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Hi Robert,

The page is back up and running. Good.

Yes isn't it amazing how little most District Directors do? One has to ask, if one is not going to do anything why run in the first place. I just don't get it.

But thats just me.....

I'm glad to hear someone's looking towards Ohio. Everyone else I've talked with has a true sense of dread. Thank you Ohio National group! I'm not sending a proxy as first off no one from down here that I know of is going. At least that I would trust to vote as I've indicated. Our useless vp, who once again mubled some inane nonsense in his column, is supposedly going. Now I wonder what great pearls of wisdom he will expell at this meeting. After all, he's the one that helped the Ohio National group come up with "we'll not advertise any judges and then wait for everyone to show up then we'll have everyone we wanted in the first place on the emergency clause". Now there's a respectful officer.lol  
oh well you have fun.

peter



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SRP,

As you can see, I've basically listed the information. Thanks for your help.  
MDW

organized in 98 at the APA/ABA national in Columbus OH, name International Muscovy Breeders Association.

14 people in attendance. Many from Canada and Graham Hicks and his wife Tracy from England. Graham is one of the top waterfowl breeders in Eng. Main players in forming the club. Rusty Hart, Mich. Brian Paul Witt, SC. and Bernard Gil, Ont. Can.

our meeting was the last one posted for the Sat. of the APA/ABA national and everyone there was pleased by the number of people interested in forming this new club. The original 3 thought that only about 5 or 6 others would show up.

I opened my mouth and was elected Pres.

Paul Witt secretary/treasurer/newletter editor

Rusty Hart VP

and it has remained thus since.

99 first national meet was held in Lucasville OH Oct.

66 muscovies in 13 varieties

Winner was an old black hen by Danny Padgett. Which went on to be grand champ of the show.

Graham and Tracy Hicks flew in from Eng. to be there. Then made arrangements to import muscovies from B.P. Witt. Which they did.

00 national held in Richmond VA. Nov.

189 muscovies in approx. 7-8 varieties shown

Bernard Gil and (Don Virgoe maker of stained glass awards and club member) both of Ont.Can. were in attendance. Bernard had RV on a white drake.

BPWitt had BV&amp;RV on chocolates.

Danny Padgett Fla. had BV&amp;RV on everything else and won BB on an old blue hen, which went on to be Grand champion of the entire poultry show.

Since organizing we have a website (which I estimate between myself and BPWitt we receive approx. 3-5 hits a day) that can be accessed through Barry Kofler's feathersite.

(SRP, go to feathersite and look in the links section for our website, International muscovy breeders association. It will provide you with some more info. dues, about the club, Q&amp;A etc.

Contact person for info is BPWitt of SC.

01 national will be held in Connersville, Ind. at the all waterfowl show this Nov.

Membership increases steadily.

We have a quarterly newsletter with great articles on genetics, judging, care etc.

We will try to have silver muscovies accepted into the APA standard at our 01 national.

Thanks again SRP! I hope this is what you needed.

MDW



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Subject: Muscovies

Date: January 30, 2001 5:19:51 PM EST

To: [bpwitt@rocsoft.net](mailto:bpwitt@rocsoft.net) Add to Address BookCC: [mdw7@psu.edu](mailto:mdw7@psu.edu) Add to Address Book

January 30

Dear Brian Paul and Mark:

Here is a draft of an article about the International Muscovy Breeders Association for the "2001 APA Yearbook."

Please look over this DRAFT and make any additions or deletions or revisions that you deem necessary or desireable.

Send me back TODAY or TOMORROW a copy of the article with your revisions/corrections and I will forward the article to Lorna Rhodes on Thursday for the "2001 APA Yearbook." (The deadline is January 31, but she knows this article is on the way, so I'm sure she will accept it on February 1st.)

(Brian Paul: Mark and I are members of the same poultry club in Pennsylvania and have been friends for years. I am a member of the APA Yearbook committee and suggested to Mark that an article on the IMBA would be a welcomed addition to the "2001 APA Yearbook." Mark sent me some data on the IMBA and I have put together this draft of an article on the IMBA.)

Thanks.

Robert

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Subject: Re: Muscovies

Date: January 30, 2001 7:32:01 PM EST

To: [s robert powell <srobertpowell@iuno.com>](mailto:srobertpowell@iuno.com) Add to Address Book

CC:

Mr. Powell,

I just looked over the article; zehr gut!

Thanks so much for the help. Hope to see you this Fall.

Sincerely,

Paul



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Subject: Muscovy article

Date: January 31, 2001 12:18:40 PM EST

To: lrhodes@lightband.com [Add to Address Book](#)

CC: mdw7@psu.edu [Add to Address Book](#)

Wednesday, January 31

Lorna:

Here is the article from Mark Whitebread on the Muscovy club for the "2001 APA Yearbook."

Articles from Richard Schock, Jim Konecny, and Peter Merlin should be on their way to you very soon.

Robert

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The Muscovy Club

By Mark D. Whitebread

Fourteen Muscovy breeders, from the United States, Canada, and Great Britain, met on November 14, at the 1998 APA/ABA joint national meet in Columbus, OH and formed the International Muscovy Breeders Association (IMBA). The organizational meeting was the last one posted for the day and everyone at the meeting was very pleased with the good turnout.

The purpose of the organization is to promote Muscovy ducks for exhibition, meat, and utility purposes. The IMBA is an international club and welcomes interested persons from all countries.

Among those present at the organizational meeting were Graham and Tracy Hicks from England, Rusty Hart from Michigan, Brian Paul Witt from South Carolina, and Bernard Gil from Ontario, Canada. The following officers were elected in 1998 and continue to serve today: Mark D. Whitebread, president; Rusty Hart, vice president, and Paul Witt, secretary/treasurer/newsletter editor.

The first national meet of the newly formed IMBA was held in conjunction with the Lucasville, OH show in 1999. There were 66 Muscovies, in 13 varieties, in the show. A Black old duck that was shown by Danny Padgett was the Champion Muscovy and Grand Champion of the Show. Graham and Tracy Hicks, among the top waterfowl breeders in England, flew in for the show. At that time, they made the necessary arrangements to import into England some Muscovies from Brian Paul Witt.

The 2000 national meet of the IMBA took place in conjunction with the Virginia Poultry Breeders Association show in Richmond in November. There were 189 Muscovies, of 7-8 varieties, in the show. Bernard Gil and Don Virgoe, both from Ontario, Canada, attended the show. Very beautiful stained glass awards for the 2000 IMBA meet were made by Don Virgoe.

At the Richmond show, Bernard Gil had RV on a White drake and Brian Paul Witt had BV and RV on Chocolates. Danny Padgett had BV and RV on everything else and won BB on a Blue old duck, which went on to become the Grand Champion of the entire poultry show.



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The IMBA has a webpage, which gets three to five hits per day, and which can be accessed by going to the Feathersite: Poultry Page on the Internet. The contact person for information on the club is Brian Paul Wit (Post Office Box 153, Cassatt, SC 29032. 803-432-1067. [bpwitt@rocsoft.net](mailto:bpwitt@rocsoft.net)). The club publishes a quarterly newsletter with great articles on genetics, judging, management, and care. Dues are \$10 US for one year, \$5 US for juniors.

The club will initiate the project of having Silver Muscovies officially recognized by the APA and admitted to the "American Standard of Perfection." The APA recognized the White Muscovy in 1874.

The 2001 national meet of the IMBA will be held in Connersville, IN at the all-waterfowl show there in November.

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Subject: Re: Muscovy article

Date: January 31, 2001 1:57:21 PM EST

To: s robert powell <[srobertpowell@juno.com](mailto:srobertpowell@juno.com)> [Add to Address Book](#)

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Thank you Lorna

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To: <[lrhodes@lightband.com](mailto:lrhodes@lightband.com)>

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Sent: Wednesday, January 31, 2001 12:18 PM

Subject: Muscovy article

> Wednesday, January 31

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> Lorna:

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> Here is the article from Mark Whitebread on the Muscovy club for the "2001  
> APA Yearbook."

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> Articles from Richard Schock, Jim Konecny, and Peter Merlin should be on  
> their way to you very soon.

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> Robert

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> The Muscovy Club

> By Mark D. Whitebread

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> Fourteen Muscovy breeders, from the United States, Canada, and Great



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Subject: RE: Livestock show  
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Here is what I sent:

Mr Powell,

Thank you for agreeing to judge the 4-H Jr Livestock poultry show on August 9, 2001 at the Clinton County Fairgrounds, in Clinton County, PA. I will be sending out specific times for the show as well as directions to the fairgrounds in late June or early July. I know that you have been in contact with David Smith and served as a judge last year, but if you have any questions in the meantime, please feel to call me at 570-726-0022 or email me at [law27@psu.edu](mailto:law27@psu.edu). Thanks again!

Laurie Weinreb-Welch, MPH, CHES  
Children, Youth and Family Living Agent  
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phone: 570-726-0022  
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Subject: Article to APA

Date: January 30, 2001 2:33:38 PM EST

To: [royaloaksfowl@aol.com](mailto:royaloaksfowl@aol.com) [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

January 30

Jim:

I hope all is well with the Aylesbury article, the edited copy of which I returned to you, electronically, on January 16.

Lorna is expecting to receive from you an electronic copy of your article and the illustrations by tomorrow. If there's anything that I can do, let me know.

Robert

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Subject: Re: Article to APA

Date: January 31, 2001 3:16:00 PM EST

To: [srobertpowell@juno.com](mailto:srobertpowell@juno.com) [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

HELLO ROBERT: I'M SURE THE NEXT FEW DAYS WILL BE KAOTIC, AND I HOPE THAT ALL THE YEARBOOK MATERIAL HAS BEEN RECIEVED. I SENT LORNA SOME DISKS. I HOPE SHE CAN MAKE A LITTLE USE OF THEM. MY MAIN CONCERN IS THAT THE ILLUSTRATIONS MIGHT COME OUT FUZZY. I GUESS ALL WE CAN DO IS HOPE FOR THE BEST. THANK YOU FOR GOING OVER THE TEXT. I APPRECIATED THAT VERY MUCH. GOOD LUCK! JIM



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Subject: It's done.

Date: January 31, 2001 12:29:31 PM EST

To: mdw7@psu.edu [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

Wednesday, January 31

Mark:

As you know from the message that I sent you yesterday afternoon, I sent yesterday a copy of your Muscovy article to Brian Paul Witt for his review. He read it over and replied with a "sehr gut!"--no changes or corrections whatsoever.

And so, just a few minutes ago, I sent your article to Lorna Rhodes. If you see anything in your article that you think has to be changed, you can contact Lorna at [lrhodes@lightband.com](mailto:lrhodes@lightband.com)

Meilleurs regards (as the French are wont, foppishly, to say),

SRP

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Subject: Re: Muscovies

Date: January 31, 2001 3:18:26 PM EST

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CC:

SRP,

Everything looks fine to me. You will perhaps hear from BPWitt.

Thanks again!

Mark

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Subject: APA deadline

Date: January 30, 2001 2:37:59 PM EST

To: [rschock@yadtel.net](#) [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

January 30

Richard:

Lorna Rhodes is expecting to receive all articles for the "2001 APA Yearbook" by tomorrow. I hope that she will receive one or two articles from you.

If there's anything that I can do, just let me know.

Thanks.

S. Robert

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Subject: APA article deadline

Date: January 30, 2001 2:43:33 PM EST

To: [pmerlin@juno.com](#) [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

January 30

Peter:

I hope that there's not a brown out tomorrow as poultry writers all across America send their articles to Lorna Rhodes for the "2001 APA Yearbook."

If you experience difficulty in getting your article through to Lorna, just let me know and I'll dispatch a Homing pigeon to your address and the transmission problem will be quickly solved.

S. Robert



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January 30

Don:

Thanks for writing the article for the "2001 APA Yearbook." It's an excellent article and exactly the kind of material that should be in the Yearbook.

The American Bantam Leghorn Club ad (page 32 in February 2001 "Poultry Press") is wonderful.

Robert

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CC:

Robert,  
one of the reasons the article and graphics hasn't been sent to date is  
due to Lorna 's not finding out what medium I need to send the graphics  
as. She's waiting to hear from the printer. As soon as I do I'll be  
sending it in. She and I had talked about it.  
thanks  
peter



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CC:

Hi Robert,


Thank you for the clipping from the 1934 ABA yearbook.

At our meeting on Jan 20, we continued with plans for our June 3rd show.

As you know our judges will be Erik Nelson, Dwight Scott with the youth, and yours truly!

We are now getting breed club specials rounded up, which I feel make a drawing card for exhibitors. If you know any club that would like to place a meet please let John Pierce or me know. Bob Richie is starting to get our catalog ready, so the sooner we get the information about meets the better!

I check in on the District 2 website often. It is certainly a valuable way to keep our "Fanciers" informed. Keep up the good work, I appreciate it very much!~~~Roger





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Dear Bob,

I don't know if you  
ever got my Email but we shall  
be delighted to have the State  
meet of the ABA.

I am ever so sorry about  
Ben Morrow. We had such a  
nice time with him & Kay @ the  
Syracuse Show in Oct. We have lost  
another great showman. For Kay.  
Ben gave his all in showing &  
will be missed. Him & Kay made  
a great pair.

I have a question  
one of our members  
ask about having a  
Egg Judging at our  
year.



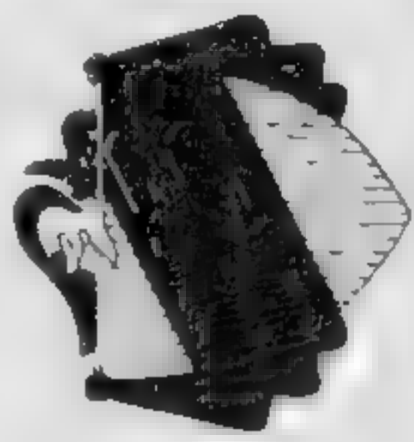


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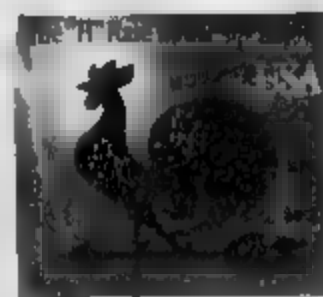
Dear Member:

Thank you for your renewal.

Enclosed is your membership card and an application for a friend.

Date: *1/25/01*Secretary: *Karen Umata*

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**S. Robert Powell**

As soon as the show boxes are put away at the end of the fall show season, I set up breeding pens and prepare to hatch and raise next year's "champions."

Hatching and raising chicks, using mostly setting hens, is one of my favorite poultry activities. It is surely one of the best ways to get through the winter.

Who cares if it's twenty below zero and there's so much snow on the ground and on the roof that you can hardly find your house, let alone your poultry buildings? Who has the time to worry about ice and snow when there's important work to be done. There are chicks, poults, ducklings, goslings, and keets to be hatched. There are young birds to be raised. There's important work to be done if you're going to hatch and raise that bird that will walk off with the top

honors at "the big show" next Fall.

And speaking of big shows, it was an excellent fall 2000 show season in District 2, with at least one show just about every weekend from early September to Thanksgiving: Twin Tier (9/10), Northern New York (9/17), Eastern New York (9/24), Garden State (9/30-10/1), Rochester (9/30-10/1), Bloomsburg (10/15), Yankee Classic (10/21-22), Uniontown (10/20-22), York (10/28-29), and Maryland (11/4-5).

By my count, there were 19 APA-sanctioned poultry-club sponsored shows in District 2 in 2000! We're really very fortunate to have so many first-class shows in this district.

I showed or judged at six shows in the District this past fall (Twin Tier, Eastern New York, Garden State, Bloomsburg, Yankee Classic, and Maryland State) and would have shown at Northern New York, Rochester, Uniontown, and York, as well, had I not been judging elsewhere or otherwise committed those weekends.



Two general observations on the fall shows: (1) there seem to be a lot of junior exhibitors who are getting actively involved with showing--which is wonderful--and (2) the quality of the birds shown was very high—even though the number of birds shown at some shows was down a bit from previous years.

In mid-September, I judged at the double-sanctioned show sponsored by the North Iowa Poultry Association and the RBR club. It was a very interesting and gratifying experience. See the many articles on this inaugural double sanctioned show that were published in the November issue of "Poultry Press." The same show format was also used successfully at the Three Amigos and Tres Hombres show in Sedalia, MO, on September 30, 2000—see the article on that show in the December issue of "Poultry Press."

And then in late-October, there was the annual meet of the APA in Woodstock, Ontario, Canada. That was my first APA national convention as APA District 2 director, and it was an honor and a pleasure to represent District 2 there.

Be sure to read, elsewhere in this issue of "News and Views,"

the minutes of the APA meetings that took place in Canada in October.

At the Directors' meeting at Woodstock, it was my pleasure to nominate George Schroeder, a District 2 native son and one of the most highly respected poultry judges in America and a master breeder of Cochin bantams, for an APA honor/lifetime achievement award. The award will be presented at the APA 2001 semiannual meet that will be hosted by the West Central Ohio Poultry Breeders on March 17-18 in Wapakoneta, OH.

As you perhaps know, a new book on exhibition poultry, "Extraordinary Chickens," has just been published by Harry Abrams, Inc. The author of the book, Stephen Green-Armytage, contacted Arlene Sliker (New Jersey state rep for the APA) and asked her to put him in touch with someone who had a variety of exhibition poultry and who would be willing to take some birds to New York and appear with them on the Today show. Arlene put Stephen Green-Armytage in contact with me.

The Today show segment was arranged by the book's publisher in order to promote the book. The live birds were

the visual aids for the segment. I drove to New York on the afternoon of October 24th and drove directly to the NBC studio on West 47th Street. Stephen met me there and we unloaded the birds and put them, in their traveling boxes, into the NBC Studio.

There is a strong emphasis in "Extraordinary Chickens" on chickens that the average person might not see every day. At the author's request, therefore, I took the following birds to New York: standard Black Cochin cockerel, bantam Brown Red Modern Game pullet, White Silkie cockerel, standard Mottled Houdan hen, standard Splash Polish cockerel, standard Buff Orpington cock.

At 6 A.M. on the 25th, Stephen and I were introduced to Katie Couric and Matt Lauer. There was a run-through of the poultry segment at that time. Stephen and I then went up to the Green Room and waited for our turn to go on the air. It was, I must say, very exciting to watch all the behind-the-scenes activity that goes on for the daily Today show broadcast. At one moment, for example, I was talking to Matt in the Green Room. Two minutes later, he was on the air, talking with another guest about retirement planning for senior citizens.

The poultry segment went very well. Matt Lauer talked mostly with Stephen Green-Armytage about the book. I was in charge of the chickens and put them into the hands of Matt and Stephen at the appropriate times. The chickens "performed" well and were a big hit with everyone. It was a wonderful five-minute segment during which exhibition poultry were presented in a very positive and interesting light. There will, I'm sure, be many positive consequences of the broadcast for exhibition poultry.

The publisher of the book paid for my hotel (the Shoreham on West 55<sup>th</sup> Street) and all my transportation expenses and meals. I was treated to dinner by Stephen Green-Armytage at a Thai restaurant on Eighth Avenue.

Everyone at NBC was very nice to me and very interested in the birds. It was a very memorable experience.

All of us, I think, have an obligation to promote our hobby whenever and wherever we can. If we all do our part to promote exhibition poultry, the hobby will be an option for those who come after us.

Many members of the APA, it seems, are not aware of the APA's product line. Between April 1, 2000, when I took



office as APA District 2 director, and the end of 2000, I set up an APA sales and membership table at six poultry shows or events in District 2 and sold \$772.00 in APA merchandise and memberships for the organization. If you're not familiar with what's available from the APA, go to the APA's webpage and have a look around.

Before you know it, the Spring show season will be here. Very early in the season will be the Berks show (contacts are Muard Naugle and Elton Minnich).

Then it will be the Susquehanna show (contact is Kay St. Amour). Then the Westmoreland show (contact is Ray Hile or Jack Tickle).

And then the 26th annual Delmarva show, which will take place on April 8, and which, I have learned from Richard Barczewski, will take place this year in a new Exhibition Hall on the Delaware State Fairgrounds at Harrington, DE. Four judges have been confirmed already: Lewis Cunningham, Will Burton, Ralph Beamer, and Don Nelson. The Delmarva show this spring will host the 2001 APA District 2 meet.

Additional details on all of these early spring shows will be

announced here and on the APA District 2 webpage as soon as they are available. To access the District 2 webpage, go to the APA's webpage ([www.ampltya.com](http://www.ampltya.com)) and click on "Directors." There, under my name, you will see a webaddress. Click on that address, and the APA District 2 webpage should appear before you.

These early spring shows are always very nice, so make plans now to show at as many of them as you can. Why not set a goal for yourself of attending this Spring at least one show you've never shown at before?

And remember to thank the people who make possible every show you attend. Poultry clubs, as you know, don't have to put on shows. They do so because they choose to. So, after you've packed up at the end of a show, make it a point to find the show secretary and personally thank him/her and the club as a whole for putting on the show and for all the work that they all have put in to make the show possible. The entire club will appreciate your thanks, and it will make them want to do it again next year. At the same time, saying "thank you" will also make you feel good.

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*I find it hard  
to believe  
that many  
of the directors  
do not take  
advantage of  
the column-  
space available  
to them in  
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*my first  
APA  
Board  
meeting.*

**MINUTES**  
**Board of Director's Meeting**  
**American Poultry Association, Inc.**  
**Annual Meet & Convention**  
 Friday, October 20, 2000  
 Quality Inn, Woodstock, Ontario

The meeting was called to order at 7:05 p.m. by Vice-President Padgett. Members present included: Danny Padgett, Vice-President; Directors: District 1 - Bob Rhodes-proxy for Jeremiah Yeaw; District 2 - S. Robert Powell; District 3 - Lewis Cunningham; District 5 - Duane Urch; District 6 - Fred Zillich; District 7 - Sam Brush; District 8 - John Monaco; District 9 - Nona Shearer; District 10 - Troy Laroche; District 11 - Rico Sebastianelli; District 12 - Peter Merlin; Director at Large - Clell Agler for Vi Halbach; and Lorna Rhodes, Secretary-Treasurer.

Troy Laroche welcomed the Board to District 10 on behalf of the Ontario Poultry Breeders and the Sarnia Poultry, Pigeon and Pet Stock Association

It was motioned by Nona Shearer and seconded by Troy Laroche that the minutes of the Semi-Annual meeting be accepted as printed in the Spring 2000 News and Views. The motion carried unanimously.

Correspondence: No correspondence not already distributed.

**2002 Annual Bids.**

There were no bids to be considered since it has been previously voted that the 2000 meet will be a joint APA/ABA National to be held at Columbus.

Due to the joint APA-ABA meeting at Columbus of 2002 for our Annual Meeting, the rotation will be suspended for the 2002 Semi-Annual.

The rotation will resume in 2003.

**REPORTS:**

**Secretary's Report:**

Since the meeting at Utah in March I have written and mailed 3 issues of the News & Views. Sent dues notices to all members with dues expiring at the end of October. The Associate ones were sent in June, the others later.

I have reordered ribbons, coop cards and hats.

The current membership is Life--75, ETL--288, Annual--2124, Junior--813, Associate--279 for a total of 3579. An increase of 92 over last October.

Certificates and other awards are the first order of business upon my return home. (After the mail that is.)

We have on hand 156 Colored standards, and 4469 Black & white standards.

Bob and I went to the XXI World Poultry Congress in Montreal. The Association had a booth in the exhibition hall. Most of the other booths were occupied by companies with supplies etc. for the commercial producers. Medications, vitamins, supplements, crates , cages, and much more sophisticated equipment. Paul Kuhl of New Jersey was among them. The American Poultry Association Historical Society was there. They also had a booth selling Ukranian colored Easter Eggs.

We visited with a lot of people of all colors, languages and nationalities, most of whom had much better English than I had their language. Many expressed interest in our organization and Standard. But many did not want to carry extra things onto the airplane. Also, many were from Universities and wanted the University to order and pay for the book. Others were from poorer countries just starting into commercial poultry.

We sold 20 colored standards, 16 coloring books, 22 posters, 2 black & white standards and 11 hats. While the expenses of the trip were not met financially they appear to me to have been justified with the exposure. Only time will tell what will come of that.

#### Treasurer's Report:

As of June 30, 2000

		Income included:	
Cash on hand:	\$83,006.35	Interest	\$1,587.20
Savings:	\$ 4,698.84	Sales	\$6,863.30
CDs	<u>\$95,645.70</u>	Std Sales	\$20,409
	\$183,350.89	S & H	\$2,001.33

Duane Urch motion to accept the Secretary's and Treasurer's Report as read. Rico Sebastianelli seconded. Unanimously accepted.

#### Judges' Licensing Committee Report:

The report of the Judges Licensing Committee was submitted by Ernie Durb, Chairman and read by Danny Padgett.

The following license has been issued since our Semi-Annual report of February 17, 2000.

General License – Ben Burkett of Illinois. The Committee thanks Harold Halbach for giving this exam.

Two applicants are at the present time taking their exams. (One in California and one in Kansas)

The following applicants have been accepted for the apprentice program: Danny Williamson, Heather Hayes, Frank Reese Jr., Lee Hertling, Robert L. Kennedy and William Whitney.

The committee is reviewing a few points in the Waterfowl tests. Troy Laroche motioned to accept this report, Sam Brush seconded. The vote to accept was unanimous.

Standard Committee:

The Standard Committee Report was submitted and read by Sam Brush.

The committee is pleased to report to the APA Board on a number of activities that the committee had been working on during the past several months. The committee has focused on reviewing and proofreading the 1998 edition of the Standard of Perfection.

**1998 Edition Standard of Perfection – Strategy for Errors/Fixes.**

1. Seek feedback from membership and have committee review the document for typographical, spelling and format deficiencies as well as substantive errors in the descriptions, figures or judging instructions.

The review phase is completed. Over 500 errors, the vast majority of which involve spelling, grammar, formatting or similar errors, have been input into an Access database and organized according to categories (minor spelling errors, major or key corrections, text formats such as font inconsistencies, etc.) The actual mark-up Standard is available for review should any of the Directors wish to scan the types of items that have been flagged. Access reports listing all the errors are being furnished to the printer so their staff can evaluate the effort needed to make the corrections and provide a bid price for the next reprinting. Global Internet is aware that these changes are coming, and Walt Leonard feels he can expedite the completion of changes because they will be clearly laid out and documented in Access report form.

2. Prepare unification action and Standard revision lists for those changes that were incorporated during the last printing. An *errata* pamphlet listing the unification actions, Standard revisions, and major or substantive corrections from the Access files, will be prepared. Examples of these major corrections include positioning the correct Wellsummer and Barnvelder male illustrations, correcting the Faverolle text where the male and female descriptions are entangled, Scale of Points corrections for waterfowl, and so forth. All of the typographical, spelling and format errors will not be incorporated into the *errata* piece. Global Interprint has indicated to Walt Leonard that they will print the *errata* piece at their cost, and we intend to ask for some appropriate number over 5000 to ensure that there will be enough to cover the first run which had all the errors. Once printed, the *errata* pamphlet will be made available at no cost to any members or purchasers who have the 1998 color edition and need the companion *errata* piece.

Again, the primary target has been to thoroughly go through the 1998 edition to locate errors and prepare the necessary materials for the printer to make those changes and then print the 2001 edition. The black and white version is also undergoing the same type of proofreading, but the color edition corrections are the most important at this juncture because of the low numbers in stock. It is highly likely that the APA will be out of color Standards for some

This "errata" booklet was my idea.



time period due to unanticipated levels of purchase. At the Semi-Annual there were approximately 1400 color Standards remaining, and this has rapidly dwindled to 160 as of the first part of October.

John Monaco motioned to accept this report, Fred Zillich seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

#### Yearbook Committee:

The yearbooks were mailed book rate to all Life, Endowment Trust Life and Life members in July. I have received 16 of them back, most for incorrect addresses. The expenses were \$1,6843.71. Income from ads was \$7,809 for a net expense of \$ 9,034.71.

The expenses include mailing expenses incurred by the committee to solicit ads. They do not include envelopes, labels and postage for mailing.

Fred Zillich moved to accept this report. Sam Brush seconded the motion. It was passed unopposed.

#### Internet:

Given by Peter Merlin

April 1, 2000-October 12, 2000

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adult memberships	60	@	\$10.00	each =	\$600.00
color standard	43	@	\$48.00	each =	\$2,064.00
Junior membership	33	@	\$5.00	each =	\$165.00
black & white standard	26	@	\$24.00	each =	\$624.00
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showmanship	18	@	\$3.00	each =	\$54.00
hats	10	@	\$7.00	each =	\$70.00
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bumper sticker	7	@	\$1.50	each =	\$10.50
renewal	6	@	\$10.00	each =	\$60.00
coloring book	6	@	\$5.00	each =	\$35.00
Breed Club link charges	6	@	\$10.00	each =	\$60.00
patch	5	@	\$3.00	each =	\$15.00
assoc memberships	4	@	\$20.00	each =	\$80.00
anniversary patch	3	@	\$3.00	each =	\$9.00
black & white illustrations	2	@	\$10.00	each =	\$20.00
coop tags	2packs	@	\$15.00	each =	\$30.00
oeg	2	@	\$6.00	each =	\$12.00
modern game	2	@	\$6.00	each =	\$12.00

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Patti Salmon Web Maintenance	\$310.00
Web Host	\$95.70
Kersur Office ISP	\$198.00
Dedicated Phone line	
Installation & Monthly	\$422.42
	\$1,026.12

Troy Laroche motioned to arrange to accept credit cards on line. Nona Shearer seconded the motion. The motion carried unopposed.

Sam Brush motioned to accept this report, Fred Zillich seconded the motion. It passed unanimously.

#### Artist Competition;

As of the Annual the competition had 37 entries into the three divisions offered. Shipping of the entries presented the APA with some challenges but the outcome was that all the submissions made it to Canada on time.

Three suggestions to the board with regards to the future competitions.

1. That all the entries be shipped to the hosting District Director to save on shipping costs to the Annual Meeting.
2. That there be a size limitation on submissions made. Mainly to facilitate shipping regulations with the different carriers that might be utilized.
3. That the APA retain the copyright to the winning submissions for a period of one year only and then return, in writing, the copyright and original submitted work back to the submitting artist as to give opportunity for profit if the submitting artist so chooses. This should also facilitate more entries as the "sole ownership" clause was viewed as somewhat prohibitive for several artist that showed interest.

The 2001 APA sponsored Artist Competition will be held in conjunction with the Annual Meeting and Show in Lincoln, NE November 2001.

Artist Competition Committee: Peter F. Merlin, Chair, Fred Zillich

S. Robert Powell motioned to accept the report, Fred Zillich seconded the motion. It was unanimously voted to accept the report.

### Constitution and By-Laws:

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Submitted by Al Watts

The Constitution and By-Laws Committee has received no proposals for amendment of either the Constitution or the By-Laws within the prescribed time limit and there are none waiting for vote.

The Committee has recently received a request from Sam Brush, Secretary of the Judges Section, *that we insert a sentence somewhere that the use of drugs during the period of a show( including out of show activities) not be allowed by judges. This would be a message to exhibitors also.* Our committee has not met but through e-mail communication has shown definite reservations about controlling activities beyond the showroom. Conduct of members is covered in ARTICLE III, Section 3 of our Constitution where any conduct harmful or a discredit to the Association is grounds for suspension or expulsion. In ARTICLE V, Section 1m of our By-Laws, conduct embarrassing to the Association is grounds for suspension of a Judges license.

It is our preliminary opinion that the changing of our Show Rules, III Show Room Requirements, D to say, **The abuse of any substance in and around the show room shall be strictly discouraged and prohibited, and violations by management, judges or exhibitors may be reported to the American Poultry Association, Inc. by sworn statement. A judge found guilty may have his/her license revoked.** (By adding the word "substance" we cover anything not considered a drug.) This addition could act as a deterrent and could be helpful to Show Committees. The Board can change Show Rules without advance notification to the membership.

Nona Shearer move to accept this report, Duane Urch seconded. It was passed unopposed.

### ETL Investment Committee:

Submitted by Al Watts

On June 5, 2000 the Committee consisting of Fred Zillich, Pat Malone and Al Watts advised the Secretary to invest the \$36,000.00 in Life Endowment Trust Funds as follows:

Janus Growth and Income Fund	\$7,500.00
Janus Mercury Fund (Worldwide)	\$7,500.00
Strong Growth & Income Fund	\$4,000.00 and \$500 per month for 12 months
Vanguard 500 Index Fund	\$4,000.00 and \$500 per month for 12 months
Money Market Fund	\$13,000.00 (approx.)
Monthly payments will be paid from this account and new Life Memberships will be deposited here	

As of October 21, after the second largest stock market downturn, the value were approx:



Janus Growth & Income	\$7500	minus approx.	\$360	plus dividends.	Est	\$7150
Janus Mercury Fund	\$7500	"	"	\$360	"	\$7200
Strong Growth & Income	\$6000	"	"	\$150	"	\$5900
Vanguard 500 Index	\$6000	"	"	\$270	"	\$5730
Money Market	\$9,800 (includes \$800 new money) +interest					

In the future we hope to establish Account Links so that the Trust accounts can be accessed through the internet to show exact values at any time. This will allow easier monitoring by the committee.

Troy Laroche motioned to accept the report as read. Duane Urch seconded the motion. The motion passed unopposed.

#### **OLD BUSINESS:**

##### **Corporate Credit Card:**

The Secretary reported that we now have a credit card in the name of the Association.

##### **Ballots:**

Peter Merlin motioned that the ballots from previous elections be destroyed. Fred Zillich seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

##### **Breeders Directory:**

Fred Zillich reported that we have 553 people listed in the breeders' directory. It is on access 2000 and Fred can respond to requests for information. Sam Brush moved to explore putting the breeders' directory (including APA members only) on the Internet. Duane Urch seconded the motion. It was passed unanimously.

#### **NEW BUSINESS:**

##### **Honorees:**

Honorees for the 2001 Semi-annual at Wapakoneta, Ohio will be Virgil Carey, George Schroeder and Vi Halbach.

Troy Laroche motioned to lower the age of eligibility for honorees to 65 years. Lew Cunningham seconded the motion. It passed unanimously.

*I nominated George Schroeder*

#### **COMMITTEES:**

##### **JUDGES LICENSING COMM.**

Ernie Durb Chairman

Emmett Rachels

Jim Sallee

Nona Shearer motioned to accept

John Monaco seconded

Vote to accept. 1 abstention

##### **STANDARD OF PERFECTION COMM.**

Walt Leonard, Chairman

Sam Brush

Gerald Donnelly

John Monaco motioned to accept

Duane Urch seconded

Vote to accept with one abstention.

##### **APA/ABA YOUTH PROGRAM**

Representative - David Owen

Representative - Kirsten Barker

##### **MEMBERS HONORS COMM.**

Vi Halbach, Chairwoman

Host Director

## FINANCE, WAYS &amp; MEANS COMM. PROPERTY PRESERVATION COM.

President, Chairman

Vice President

Lewis Cunningham

Duane Urch

Troy Laroche motioned to accept

Nona Shearer seconded

Voted unanimously

Duane Urch, Chairman

Vi Halbach

Dr. V. L. Patterson

Fred Zillich

## CONSTITUTION &amp; BY-LAWS COMM.

Dr. Al Watts, Chairman

John Monaco

Rico Sebastianelli

SRP

## MEMBERSHIP COMM.

S. Robert Powell, Chairman

Nona Shearer

Jerry Yeaw

## RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

Sam Brush, Chairman

Troy Laroche

Vi Halbach

## PROMOTION &amp; SALES COMM.

Peter Merlin, Chairman

Sam Brush

Nona Shearer

## SHOW REPORTS &amp; AWARDS COMM

Rico Sebastianelli, Chairman

Tommy Stanley

Brian Knox

## INTERNET COMMITTEE

Peter Merlin, Chairman

Sam Brush

Rico Sebastianelli

## LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE

Clell Agler, Chairman

Jeff Halbach

Johnny Batson

## ETL INVESTMENT COMM.

Dr. Al Watts, Chairman

Fred Zillich

Pat Malone

## STANDARD UNIFICATION COMM.

Pat Malone, Chairman

Troy Laroche

John Monaco

Jerry Yeaw

SRP

## YEARBOOK COMMITTEE

Lorna Rhodes, Chairwoman

Peter Merlin

Emmett Rachels

Dick Stevens

Fred Zillich

S. Robert Powell

Duane Urch motioned to accept all Committees not previously voted. Nona seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

Sam Brush motioned that the By-Laws Committee work to make the Legislative Committee a permanent APA Committee. Duane Urch seconded the motion. The motion passed without opposition.

**Operating Budget:****2001 SALES/REVENUE PROJECTION**

Membership dues (all)	\$26,000
Judges License Fees	1,000
Interest -CD	1,500
Color Standard	35,000
B & W Standard	4,000
Coloring Book	2,500
Color Posters	3,000
Coop Tags	600
Shirts	1,500
Other Sales (caps, patches, etc.)	4,000
Shipping/Postage	6,000
Yearbook Ads	8,000
<b>TOTAL SALES/REVENUE</b>	<b>\$93,100*</b>

**2001 EXPENSE PROJECTION**

Secretary Salary	\$12,000
Secretary Social Security	918
Secretary Travel	2,000
Show Awards	12,000
Judge License Exams	400
2001 Yearbook	17,000
Quarterly Printing	8,000
Postage & Shipping	12,000
Professional Accounting	1,000
Insurance	1,500
Storage Rental	1,200
Office Supplies	2,000
Telephone	1,300
Publicity	4,000
APA/ABA Joint Youth Program	1,200
Contingency Fund	2,000
Digital Camera	1,500
Internet Expense	1,000
President's Expense	600
<b>TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSE</b>	<b>\$81,618</b>

**\*Total does not reflect the cost of goods sold**

NOTES: Interest revenue for the year will be down due to (1) dividends in ETL investments are being reinvested to build up the ETL (2) printing the 2001 edition of the Standard will mean using CD funds to pay for the new Standard. We will not have figures on the Standard until our Standard Committee completes and submits corrections and changes to the printer.

Duane Urch voted to accept the projected 2001 budget as amended. Troy Laroche seconded the motion. It carried unanimously.



**National Poultry Improvement Plan:**

Motioned to have Sam Brush check into the possible role of the APA in the program. Fred Zillich motioned. John Monaco seconded. The motion carried unanimously.

**Legislative committee Report:**

On September 12, 2000, at the invitation of the House of Representatives Agriculture Committee, Clell Agler and Jeff Halbach attended a Congressional Hearing on House Bill 1275. The Bill in its current form is intended to stop interstate shipping of game fowl.

Our testimony was before the House Agriculture Committee of the House of Representatives. Our testimony was focused on our concerns that, should this Bill be passed, exhibition poultry would be confused with game fowl and our hobby could be irreparably damaged. We also stated the potential harm done to FFA & 4-H poultry projects. We gave a brief history of exhibition poultry, the American Poultry Association and the popularity of poultry exhibitions in America. We also provided the committee with two copies of the *Standard of Perfection* and a video tape of the 1998 Ohio National so they could view the unique qualities of exhibition poultry.

Other witnesses who testified were either aggressively in favor of, or opposed to the Bill. Opposed to House Bill 1275 were: Mr. Perdue, State Congressman from West Virginia and a representative of the United Game Fowl Breeders Association and Mr. Berry representing the Oklahoma Animal Husbandry Coalition. The Game Bird breeders were well represented with 2 lobbyists and 300 of their members.

The Game Bird breeders have prepared for this hearing by providing an impact study illustrating that the financial impact of passage of this bill could be as much as \$300,000,000. That is the annual expenditures of Game Bird breeders based on their impact study. While these figures have nothing to do with the arguments presented by organizations advocating for passage of the Bill, these figures likely impress officials within the Agriculture Department.

Those witnesses advocating passage of HB 1275 were: Mr. Pacelle of the Humane Society and Ms. Schlueter of the Broward County Florida Sheriff's Department. Their position, too, was a strong one and they seem very dedicated. They feel that passage of the Bill will pose serious limitations on cock fighting and aid in the arrest of game fowl enthusiasts.

At this time, the House Committee plans to table the Bill until next year. The advocates for the Bill have stated that they will continue their efforts, and they are well funded.

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Our task should be one of continued illustration that "all birds are not created equal." We must continue to define the differences between Game Birds and Exhibition Poultry. It is critically important that judges hold Game Birds to the highest standards of our *Standard of Perfection*. If an exhibited bird does not meet standards, that bird should be disqualified. We should also pursue developing an impact study on Exhibition Poultry and Class B Hatcheries to point out that limiting shipment of those categories of poultry would also create financial hardship.

Lew Cunningham motioned that the Association pay the expenses incurred by Jeff Halbach and Clell Agler on their trip to Washington. Troy Laroche seconded. The motion passed unopposed.

**APA/ABA Youth Program:**

Request for money for a printer tabled for further information.

**Judging and Showing:**

A proposal to change the bylaws by rescinding By-Law ARTICLE VII, Section 3, f. was made by Lew Cunningham, seconded by Duane Urch. The proposal would initiate a request to the Constitution and Bylaws Committee to start the process for considering this by-law change at the next Semi-Annual Meeting. Troy Laroche, Nona Shearer and Clell Agler voted for the proposal. Sam Brush, John Monaco, Peter Merlin, Bob Rhodes, Fred Zillich, S. Robert Powell voted against the proposal. There was one abstention.

S. Robert Powell motioned to adjourn. Nona Shearer seconded. It was unanimously agreed. Adjourned 11:00PM

**Board of Directors Meeting(cont'd)**

**Saturday, October 21, 2000**

**Quality Inn, Woodstock, Ontario**

The Board of Directors reconvened at the Quality Inn after the General Meeting at 9:25 P.M. Saturday. All the same members were present except, Danny Padgett who was ill.

Troy Laroche motioned and Lew Cunningham seconded that the Secretary look into books for resale, also the Schilling prints. The motion carried.

Nona Shearer and Sam Brush will work up additions to our show rules.

Fred Zillich made a motion to use some of the artwork received in the 2000 contest on a 2002 calendar which will include the dates for the Annual, Semi-Annual and the District Meets. Duane Urch seconded the motion which passed unanimously.

Duane Urch made the motion to adjourn Sine die at 9:40 p.m. Rico Sebastianelli seconded the motion. It was unanimously voted to adjourn.

**Minutes  
General Membership Meeting  
American Poultry Association, Inc.  
Quality Inn, Woodstock, Ontario  
7:45 P.M. Saturday, October 21, 2000**

The General Meeting was called to order at 7:45 P.M. by Director Troy Laroche in the absence of the President and Vice President. Opening prayer was led by Jim Fegan. Director Laroche gave the welcome.

Troy Laroche introduced the Directors, who introduced themselves and their districts.

**Secretary's Report**

Bill Wulff made a motion to accept the minutes from the 2000 Semi-Annual as printed in the Spring quarterly. John Monaco seconded the motion and it was accepted without opposition.

**Honorees:**

In the absence of Vi Halbach, Paul Monteith made the honoree presentation to Cliff Pepper, Mike Camilleri to Ray Watford and Jamie Carson to Murdock Hollingsworth's daughter Louise in his stead.

**Secretary/Treasurer's Report:**

See report as printed in minutes of Board of Directors. Bill Ryan moved to accept the Secretary's report, Phil Bartz seconded. The motion passed. Bill Wulff motioned to accept the Treasurer's report. Bill Ryan seconded the motion. It was unanimously accepted.

**Judges License Committee:** The Secretary read the report of the Judges Licensing Committee as printed in the minutes of the Board of Directors Meeting. Sam Brush moved to accept the report, Bill Ryan seconded the motion passed.

**Standard Committee Report:**

Sam Brush read the Standard Committee report as printed in the report of the Board of Directors meeting. Duane Urch moved to accept, Larry Urban seconded, the motion carried.

**Internet Report:**

Peter Merlin reported for the Internet committee. See the report as printed in the minutes of the Board of Directors meeting. Sam Brush motioned to accept the report. Bill Wulff seconded. It was unanimously accepted.



### **Art Competition Report:**

Presented by Peter Merlin. This our first year of what we plan to be an annual event, we had 37 entries. Judges for this year were Joan Donnelly, Nona Shearer, Phyllis Urch and Bill Wulff. The winners are: Adult division: 1<sup>st</sup> Steven D. Rogers from Los Angeles, CA entitled "Cochin Cockerel". 2<sup>nd</sup> Stan Moulton from Provo, Utah entitled "The Hen". 3<sup>rd</sup> Ellie Hamblin from Lake View Terrace, CA entitled "d-Anver". 1 Honorable Mention for Marie Delffs from Shelbyville, TN entitled "Tribute to APA".

14-18 division: 1<sup>st</sup> Kristina Carle from Warren, NJ entitled "Hens in Nesting Boxes" 2<sup>nd</sup> Kristina Carle from Warren, NJ entitled "White Call Ducks" 3<sup>rd</sup> Alyssa Christy from Edgewood, NM entitled "Arthur"

13 & under: 1<sup>st</sup> Sara Sarooni from Cypress, TX entitled "Escape" 2<sup>nd</sup> Matt Stam from Jarvis, Ontario Canada entitled "Standing on the Fence Post" 3<sup>rd</sup> Kelsey Kozak from Vashon, WA entitled "Smiley the Beautiful"

The next competition will be at the Annual slated for Lincoln, NE in November of 2001. Hosting Director, Fred Zillich. Start planning those submissions now!

John Monaco motioned to accept this report, Sam Brush seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

### **Legislative Committee:**

Report presented by Clell Agler, Chairman. See report as printed in the minutes of the Board of Directors Meeting.

### **Business form the Board Meeting:**

The Secretary read the names of the members elected to the Judges Licensing Committee, Standard of Perfection Committee and the Finance Ways and Means Committee at the Board Meeting last night.

### **Operating Budget:**

The Secretary presented the Operating Budget for 2001. (It is printed in the minutes of the Board of Directors above). Nona Shearer made the motion to accept the budget. Larry Urban seconded the motion. The motion carried.

**Resolution Committee.** Sam Brush presented the resolutions;

**Whereas.** It has been 50 years since the American Poultry Association has held its Annual Meet in the Dominion of Canada, and

**Whereas,** over the years many dedicated Canadian fanciers have served as officers, board members and committee participants, contributing both to American Poultry Association, and the Standard-bred poultry activities in North America, and

**Whereas,** our Canadian hosts have worked earnestly and diligently to host an exceptional convention of poultry enthusiasts, drawing support from both the nucleus of Ontario Poultry Breeders as well as from fanciers from across Canada: and

**Whereas,** we have been favored with some beautiful fall weather and the warmest hospitality within the Province of Ontario as they held the Canadian National Poultry Party, and

**Whereas,** the APA has enjoyed the occasion for honoring several dedicated Canadian members as honorees at this 127<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting, in the persons of Murdock "Bun" Hollingsworth, Ray Watford and Cliff Pepper,

**Now therefore be it resolved** that we extend our thanks and congratulations to all of our Canadian fancier friends that helped put on these fine poultry exhibits, and congratulate the honorees for their longstanding contributions to Standard-bred poultry.

**And, whereas** the Officers and Board of Directors of the American Poultry Association have missed the presence of our President, Pat Malone, who is remaining with his family to help them face some serious health challenges, be it further resolved that we express our support to Pat in comforting and encouraging his family members.

**And, whereas** the past secretary of our sister poultry organization, Eleanor Vinhage, and our own APA Past President Vi Halbach are also recovering from serious surgeries and in our thoughts and prayers, be it further resolved that we convey our Association's wishes for speedy recoveries to each of them,

**And, whereas** since our Semi-Annual Meet in Utah last March, several of our esteemed and valued members have passed on to their eternal reward, including the recent loss of Canadian fancier, Howard Laidlaw and the American Poultry Association has sustained a deep and real loss, now therefore be resolved that we express our deepest sympathies to the families of our departed members and we observe a moment of silence in their memory during this membership meeting.

Duane Urch motioned to accept. John Monaco seconded. The motion was approved. A moment of silence was observed for the deceased members of the American Poultry Association.

Nona Shearer motioned to adjourn. Phil Bartz seconded and the General meeting adjourned sine die at 8:50 P.M.

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Robert,

2-6-01

I received this request for Pennsylvania. I don't know if it is a duplicate or not. Will you please take care of it.

Also my son in law was here the other day and playing with my computer. In the course of time he brought up the Poultry Connection. It had a bunch of other specialty clubs on, it so I let him put the UOC on. I don't know if that was right or not. If you think it is wrong let me know and I will get him over here and have him take it of. You are doing a fine job with our web page and I didn't mean to infringe on you. They even had the Orpington Club from England on. If I knew how he got it up I would tell you. I think he was searching for Poultry, or maybe Orpingtons. He has it listed under Poultry on my favorites or I could never bring it up.

My hatching isn't going so good. One mating of Buffs is clear and the others are just starting to lay after their fall break. I am going out and change some of my males around today.

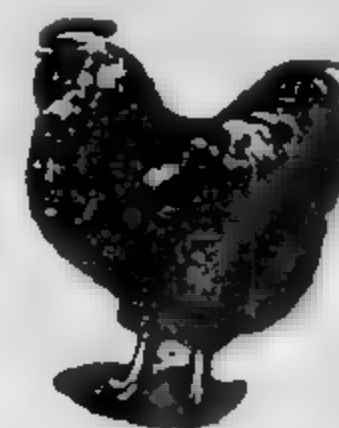
Thanks for the job you do with the UOC Web page.

Sincerely, *Warren* Warren



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## THE UNITED ORPINGTON CLUB

### District State and Special Meets

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or variety. One bird can not win more than one certificate at a single show.

Other awards may be pending by club members in the area of the show. All awards are for  
club members only.

District Director or State Representative  
Date \_\_\_\_\_

Please send a completed copy of this page back to Warren Tye 982 West 4800 South  
Murray, Utah 84123 Be sure and show the number shown in each variety, the variety, if it was a  
cock, hen, cockerel, or pullet and the name and address of the winner.

#### STANDARD ORPINGTONS:

Best of Breed, Number Shown \_\_\_\_\_, Buff, White, Black, Blue, C, H, K, P.  
Name and Address \_\_\_\_\_

Best of Variety, Number Shown \_\_\_\_\_, Buff, White, Black, Blue, C, H, K, P.  
Name and Address \_\_\_\_\_

Best of Variety, Number Shown \_\_\_\_\_ Buff, White, Black, Blue, C, H, K, P.  
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Best of Variety, Number Shown \_\_\_\_\_ Buff, White, Black, Blue, C, H, K, P.  
Name and Address \_\_\_\_\_

#### BANTAM ORPINGTONS:

Best of Breed, Number Shown \_\_\_\_\_ Buff, White, Black, Blue, C, H, K, P.  
Name and Address \_\_\_\_\_

Best of Variety, Number Shown \_\_\_\_\_ Buff, White, Black, Blue, C, H, K, P.  
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Best of Variety, Number Shown \_\_\_\_\_ Buff, White, Black, Blue, C, H, K, P.  
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Best of Variety, Number Shown \_\_\_\_\_ Buff, White, Black, Blue, C, H, K, P.  
Name and Address \_\_\_\_\_

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# ALL-Orp

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Dedicated to all Orpingtons Standard and Bantam  
and to the Breeders of this fine fowl. Winter 2001

Thanks for  
the job with  
the web page  
Warren

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## FROM YOUR SECRETARY:

Christmas was over yesterday, and I want to try and get this ALL-Orp mailed before Jan. 7 when the price of postage goes up. I hope you all had a good Christmas. We did fine with our six children, 24 grand children and 2 great grand children. I think the best part of the deal is that it is over.

I have made up some of my breeding pens and have some ideas on the others. I only saved five males from last year. 2-buffs, and one each of blue, black and white. The rest are cockerels. I have decided to use cockerels the first part of the season and save the old birds until it warms up later in the spring. I have a friend that has some chicks out already and he got a much better hatch from the cockerel matings than he did from the cock matings. I will let you know how it turns out.

I hope by now, those of you that have E-mail know that I spelled Juno wrong on the E-mail listing for myself on the Fall issue of the ALL-Orp. I spelled it jono and it should be Juno. The address is [orps@juno.com](mailto:orps@juno.com). I am getting quite a bit of mail so some of you got it corrected. I am sure there are a lot of you that have E-mail and didn't send it in. Also I am not sure of the web page address. S. Robert is doing an excellent job with that. The address he sent me was <http://www.crosswinds.net/~orpingtons/UOC.htm>. When my daughter wrote it up she put two // between the colon and the www. She also put it on the computer under favorites drag to links click poultry and then United Orpington Club. She also has the APA page and the Poultry Connection page

listed under poultry. I am such a computer illiterate I am afraid I will goof it up, so I just bring it up and read it. Since the original publication S. Robert has updated it at least twice. We want to thank him for the good job he is doing.

## ADDRESS & PHONE NUMBER

**CHANGES:** The computer age and 911 emergency system are causing a lot of changes in phone number and addresses. The old rural route and box numbers are being replaced by streets and street numbers. A lot of folks are finding with their computers and fax machines, that they need more than one phone line. This has caused a lot of changes in area codes. Last issue of the newsletter we had some issues come back. The folks hadn't moved, the post office just wouldn't deliver the mail to a route and box number. In some cases the new address was printed on the newsletter. All I had to do was put a new address label and another stamp on and try again. With our dues as low as they are we need to save money where ever we can. **PLEASE CHECK YOUR ADDRESS IN THIS ISSUE OF THE ALL-Orp AND LET ME KNOW IF IT IS WRONG.** I am not without mistakes either. In the last issue I had the correct address in the new member section but had printed it wrong on the label.

## AMERICAN POULTRY ASSOCIATION AD:

It will soon be time for the ads for the APA Yearbook. The cost will be the same as last year. \$12.00 for a 1/8 page ad, \$24.00 for 1/4 page, \$48.00 for 3/4

page. Those folks that advertise tell me they get enquiries and a few sales from their ads. I know some of my sales have come from my APA ad.

## EMERGENCY COLD WEATHER PROTECTION FOR LARGE COMB BIRDS:

When Doug Akers told me about the frost bite on his standard Orp males, it reminded me of a solution a member from the really cold, way below zero, part of Wyoming had. She got some cardboard boxes that were large enough, so that with one box inside the other she could put some straw in the inside box and put a male bird in it. Then close both boxes with a sack and weight over the top to keep it closed. She left the boxes in the insulated pen with the other birds. In the morning she took the males out. This would be a lot of work, but she didn't freeze any combs.

## BETTY ALEXANDER QUILTS:

There is an ad in the January Poultry Press that tells us Betty Alexander has sold her birds and farm and moved to town. Raven Wing Farm, Judy McAlexander, got most of her Buff Orpington breeding stock and I am sure she will keep up the tradition. It is sad to see Betty leave the fancy. She has been a member for as far back as I have Orp Club records. That goes back some years before I was even a member.

## PLEASE RENEW YOUR MEMBERSHIP:

We now have 107 paid up members in the UOC. Forty eight of them have their membership running  
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out with this issue of the ALL-Orp That is close to half our membership We need all you folks to renew. Also we need all members to try and recruit new members. When you send in your membership be sure your phone number is correct, your breed list is correct and if you don't have an UOC shoulder patch for you and your partner order some of them

When we first revived the UOC in 1992 most folks paid one year at a time. Now that we have been going for over eight years a lot of folks have enough faith in us that they are paying two years at a time. Some of the real faithful are paying three years at a time. Think about it. The dues may be going up in the near future and we can't collect more from those that have already paid

#### NATIONAL MEET:

When you set up your breeding pens remember to hatch some chicks that will be ready for exhibition the middle of November. That will be our National Meet in Lincoln, Nebraska. At our meeting there we will be selecting the sight for our National meet in 2003. Remember we don't have to have it with the APA National as it has been in past years. One of the prime factors in selecting the sight will be to hold it in an area that a lot of UOC members can get to. So far Tony Ewert from Minnesota is the only one that has asked for the meet

#### NEW MEMBERS SINCE FALL ALL-Orp

Susan Orog  
RR # 2 Box 934  
Cornish, NH 03745

#### RENEWALS SINCE FALL ALL-Orp

Larry Dye 2 yrs.  
Luverne Bergs 2 yrs  
Tom Durgin 2 yrs  
Lloyd Jenkins 1 yr.  
Rick, Teresa, Amber Justin Olson 1 yr

This is not very many folks, but I am sure there will be a long list in the Spring ALL-Orp. Memberships expire on the first or seventh month of each year.

#### A NEW BABY FOR RICHARD AND MARGARET ANDREE:

As you will see in the members write section, the Andree's have a baby girl, Catrina Marie Andree We received some photos of her, and a 110 pound watermelon Margaret raised in her garden, on the internet this morning. She is a doll, Congrat 'ations to them

#### BEGINNERS COLUMN: by Ralph Brazelton From the May 1988 ALL-Orp.

Some of you will have young chicks by the time you get this. Select a good mash, keep fresh water available and maintain heat as prescribed by your brooder. If you are brooding only a few be sure the light bulb supplies enough heat. If they move about normally in their compartment all is well!

If fertility is a problem brush the feathers below the vent with Black Leaf 40. Do not let it touch the skin. (Note: Black Leaf 40 is no longer available. A lot of folks dust with insecticide, 5% Sevin or something similar. WT) If you have not clipped the fluff around the vent, clip it closely so that no sharp barbs remain.

A wet mash (about 1 tablespoon full per standard bird, a lot less for bantams) fed once a day containing your regular mash to which has been added a few drops (per bird) of cod liver oil and wheat germ oil on alternate days. Supply Greens if available: lettuce or cabbage trimmings, 4<sup>th</sup> cutting alfalfa or sprouted oats. Do not keep the birds to fat but in good solid flesh. Feed corn sparingly, if at all. Feed a hand full or two per bird oats or wheat mix per bird in the evening.

Turn eggs daily before setting and set none older than 7 days. Follow your incubator instructions.

Note: Remember Ralph is talking about Standard Large Orpingtons when he talks about feed quantities. WT

#### MATING BUFF VARIETIES by J. H. Robinson (1898) from April 87 ALL-Orp

Though buff is called a solid color it is by no means an easy color to

handle Breeders find it quite a difficult to get one uniform shade of buff in all sections and keep it, as to get any combination of colors and markings described in the Standard. At present the popular shade is a golden buff, between the reddish buff and a pale yellow, which were the extremes of color that different breeders have been calling buff

In mating buff fowls, the best methods is to use birds of both sexes that are as near the desired golden buff as can be obtained, avoiding the mating of birds having the same color defects in the same section, whether the defects are similar or opposite. The common color faults in buff fowls are, white or black in wings or tails; red on the backs or shoulders of males; very light breasts in females; black ticks or ticks or lacing on necks or backs; mottled plumage; salty under color and white under color; no under color Black or gray in any part of the plumage except the primaries and main tail feathers should cause the bird to be rejected, no matter how good otherwise. In the sections excepted a little dark color may be admitted if the mate of the bird is good buff in them. In any case it is not advisable to breed from a specimen in which the foreign color is distinct. Birds with positive white in wings or tails, should be rejected, also those in which the upper and lower webs of the feather are of distinctly different shade. Faded and slightly mealy wings and tails may be admitted if the bird is pretty good all around, and can be mated with one good in wings and tail. A bird extra good in wing and tail can generally be used to good advantage, though rather weak in other sections. In breeding to get the red out of the backs of males, the lightest females that can be found that are good, bright and even in surface color; the same on back and breast, should be mated to males as free from red as can be had, and fairly uniform in all sections. Specimens with pale eyes should be rejected. In an exhibition bird surface color is worth more than under color; but in breeding a bird good in under color will get more good even colored chicks than one better on the surface and not so good in under color

**A LETTER FROM OUR UOC  
PRESIDENT DON CHANDLER**

Warren, 12/23/00

Again I want to say thanks for another year of service to the Orp Club. You do such a great job. Also, Robert has the web page off and running. I think he has done a great job. Warren and I talked about a web page a while back. We didn't then, and still don't have any idea on how to set one up. Again, thanks Robert for all the time you spend on this project.

It is winter time in east Tennessee. I think the last three mornings it has been in the low teens. It makes watering the birds a little tough. I have my brood pens set up and will have my first Blue Orp babies Dec. 29, I can't wait. Warren sent me a splash pullet and two blue males. I have the splash mated to my old black cock I got from Warren and a black pullet that was Grand Champion at our fall show. The Blue chicks will be from the splash female and the black from the black female. I have some black pullets mated to the blue males. This should give me 1/2 black and 1/2 blue chicks.

There are a lot of us that have our membership come due at the end of the year. We need you all to stay in the Orp Club. When you send your dues send an extra \$12.00 for an ad in the APA yearbook. It gets me how many folks call from seeing my ad. Don't wait to long the deadline for the ads is Feb. 1, 2001. If you want a bigger ad call Warren for this info. Please help us out with this ad. I have always wondered why we could only get one page for a club with as many members as ours. I sent a pair of Black Orps out to Oklahoma for the ABA national.

I haven't got them back yet. They were going to show them in the state show and since then the weather has not been good for shipping birds back.

I hope everyone had a great Christmas and a Happy New Year. I am ready for spring.

Sincerely, Don Chandler

**THE MEMBERS WRITE:**

Hey Warren, 12/17/00

I hope you and Betty are staying warm. It is 12 degrees here today. That is both the high and low for today. That is way to cold for Tennessee. It is supposed to be 34 degrees tomorrow. Thank goodness!

We went to the Bedford County Poultry show yesterday and brought home the Champion Large Fowl on a Buff Pullet. That is the 3rd Champion Large Fowl on a Buff this year. That should be enough points to get me master exhibitor honors.

\* I have taken a look at the web page and it looks really good. Robert has done a good job with it. That is an excellent way to promote Orps.

Take care and I hope you have a Merry Christmas.

Leslie Dyer

Warren, 11/06/00

I received the new issue of the ALL-Orp. Excellent job. It has been a busy fall here. I have only been to two shows this fall.

We have a new addition to the family. Catrina Marie Andree was born Oct. 6, 2000. It was a difficult birth with a long time in the labor room and finally a C-section. All is well now and she is growing like a weed.

I thought I would pass on the results of the two shows I did attend. In Mason City had SCCL on a Buff Cockerel and RB on a pullet. On the other show at Mason City I had BB on the Pullet and RB with the Cockerel. At the Minn State Poultry association I had BB & RB with Bantams and Tony Ewert had Ch English with a Buff.

I am having trouble with your E-mail address and the web page.

Until next time,  
Richard, Margaret and Catrina Andree

Note: I sent Richard an E-mail to clear up the address problem. WT

Hello Mr. Tye,

11/28/00

I wanted you to know that I took my oldest cockerel that I got from you and a few others to the Ohio National and was very pleased to receive BB with the cockerel, 1-h and 2 3 pullets. I thought I had been smitten with the Orpingtons before but now I really want to help promote this breed. Soon you will be receiving my check for two more years dues and a copy of Hubbards Poultry secrets. If you have any suggestions on how I can help promote this wonderful breed I would be most attentive.

Also I was able to find the book "Orpington Fowl" from the Amazon. uk book company. I must say it is a wonderful book with many pages of Orpington Fowl photos and other wonderful information on Orpingtons.

Thanks again for your time and the lovely birds.

Nikki Riedel

Note: Nikki must have sent S. Robert an Email asking about the Web page and how to promote Orpingtons. When Robert answered her he sent me a copy. I am going to take the liberty of reprinting part of his answer here WT.

Dear Nikki, 11/27/00

here is the web address of the United Orpington Club.  
[Http://www.crosswinds.net/~orpingtons/UOC.htm](http://www.crosswinds.net/~orpingtons/UOC.htm)

The mark before orpingtons is a tilde from the top left corner of most computer keyboards.

One thing you can do to promote Orpingtons is put up "specials" for Orpingtons at local club shows. For example you might put up \$5.00 for best Orpington Bantam of \$5.00 for best Orpington Standard.

You could also start or become active in 4-H groups and provide eggs and / or chicks to young people who are interested in getting started in exhibition poultry.

You could also volunteer to serve as Michigan State Representative for The United Orpington Club. [If the position is open] Note Bill Mayer has that job.

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**THE MEMBERS WRITE CONT.**

How about an article on your experiences with Orpingtons for either the UOC newsletter ALL-Orp and / or Poultry Press

Thanks for your offer to help promote Orpingtons. I have sent a copy of this E-mail to warren Tye Secretary / Treasurer of the United Orpington Club. If you are not now a member perhaps you would be interested in becoming a member of the UOC

S. Robert Powell  
UOC member  
APA District 2 Director

Warren 12/27/00

I received the news letter today, glad to see others are getting on the net. Do you know of anyone hatching any standard black orps this fall. I have five black hens and no male. I had problems with an owl

Sincerely, Steve Reagan  
Rt 1 Box 319 Franklin, TX 77856  
409-828-5241 [Stmre@aol.com](mailto:Stmre@aol.com)  
Note: Do any of you folks have an extra Standard Black male?

Hello Warren, 11/2/00  
Sorry I forgot to let you know our E-mail address. It is

[oealacres@aol.com](mailto:oealacres@aol.com)

My daughter has been successful in showing this year. She had Res SCCL in April with her buff hen. BV in every show and lots of BB. She does well when she shows her Blacks, BB and BV and has been successful breeding them.

Good luck with your showing, Kathy and Stephanie O'Neal

Warren, 11/5/00

Please note my E-mail address. This Rural Mail Carrier isn't too worried about a little competition. My mail volume on the route just keeps growing, With more parcels being the result of E-mail trading

In fact I have used the internet to purchase several pairs of birds this year. It is a great place to make contacts

I checked out the web page tonight. It is a nice start.

Sincerely,  
Vern Holzhuetter and family

Dear Warren, 11/20/00

I just wanted to report to you on the Orpingtons in Minnesota. I was at the New Ulm show and Hutchinson. I can't tell you how many bantams were at either show. I do know that Roger VanderPloeg had BB on a Buff pullet at New Ulm. And Richard Andree had BB on a cock or cockerel at Hutchinson. There were 23 large fowl at New Ulm, impressive HUH. I managed Champion and Reserve English on a pullet and cockerel. There were 20 at Hutchinson including juniors. I won Champion English on a pullet [different than New Ulm] Elizabeth Holzhuetter won champion Large fowl of junior show with the best Black Orp cockerel I have ever seen. I was glad to see Luverne Bergs show some Standard Buffs. So Orps are on the rise in Minnesota.

Please send me the White Orp club book from 1912

I wish you and your family Happy Holidays. Tony Ewert

Dear Warren 11-16-00

Enclosed is a check for two years dues. Keep up the good work

We had another great show at Caldwell, Idaho. Missed seeing you and a lot of your friends from Utah. I guess you went to Farmington, New Mexico this year.

This next weekend I'll be in Albany, Oregon at the poultry show. I am expecting a great time as usual

Holiday wishes to Betty and you. Tom Durgin

Warren Tye 11-18-00

Just a quick note to let you know that I made the BFFC show in Bakersfield, CA on Nov 4th and 5th. I took my standard Buffs, Blues and Blacks. My whites were not up at the time of this show. There were only 15 Orps in the large fowl. My stock

placed the following: Buff = 1 K BB and Reserve English which made Champion Row, 2 pullets 3rd & 4th Blue = 2K 1st BV & 2nd, 1 pullet 1st RV, 1 K 2nd, 1 pullet 1st BV

Over all I was very pleased with my birds. I had John Monaco go over them after the show, and he was very helpful as this was my first year with Orps. I forgot to see how many Bantam Orps there were, Sorry about that

Over all there were 938 birds shown and my wife and I had a GREAT TIME!

Happy Holidays to you and your wife.  
Tom Beckham

Dear Warren, 11-2-00

I just thought I would write and let you know we are still alive back here in Oklahoma

This was one of the hottest and driest summers I can remember. The Black Orps looked great until July when it got so hot. The birds are looking better now that it has cooled off and we have received some rain

The show season is well under way and we have a show almost every weekend until the middle of December.

I hope everything is well with you. Best Wishes,

Larry Dye

Hi Warren, 12-29-00

Greetings from snowy Indiana. We're having our coldest December. Six nights of 0degrees or lower. We haven't been above 32 degrees since December 16th. We got some of our large fowl breeding pens together, but males have frostbite on their combs, despite covering them nightly with udderbalm. So it doesn't look like and January chicks for us

Our biggest news is that Pete won Grand Champion Large Fowl at the Ohio National, Columbus with a Buff Orpington Cockerel

You can use my e-mail for my son, Pete Akers. It is [doug.akers@ces.purdue.edu](mailto:doug.akers@ces.purdue.edu) Hope you are doing well. Doug Akers



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This is 18 pages and contains their by-laws, dues payments, available awards, and a few articles by some of their members.

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Note The few pennies we make on these sales goes to the United Orpington Club, Not to me. WT

**IS YOUR MEMBERSHIP UP TO DATE**

With our membership fees as low as they are, we just break even when we send out four newsletters a year and support the National. The cost of printing and postage keeps going up. I don't know how long we will be able to keep our current membership rate

My records show you are paid up until 1 month 01 year

You are past due, X and if you don't renew, this will be your last issue of the ALL-Orp.

The only thing consistent about me is I make mistakes all the time If I am wrong let me know WT

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Congratulations to all the winners. I  
hope I haven't missed some one that I  
got a report on    WT



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# FTA Membership Ballot

Please consider the following issues and vote for your preference.

## Non-North American FTA participation:

(Vote for one of the two following)

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Leave Article III, Section 1 as is - "Any person regardless of race, color, sex, creed or national origin, shall be eligible for active membership in the Association."

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Change Article III, Section 1 to - "Any person in North America regardless of race, color, sex, creed or national origin, shall be eligible for active membership in the Association."

(Vote yes or no on the following)

Add the following to the FTA Constitution, Article VIII, Flying Competition

"Participation - Any member residing in North America may enter and participate in the flying competitions sponsored by the Association."

Yes

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No

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## Multiple Kits:

(Vote yes or no on the following)

Add to the FTA Fly Rules that "A member can enter, and fly with the intention of participating, only one kit per FTA sponsored competition."

Yes

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No

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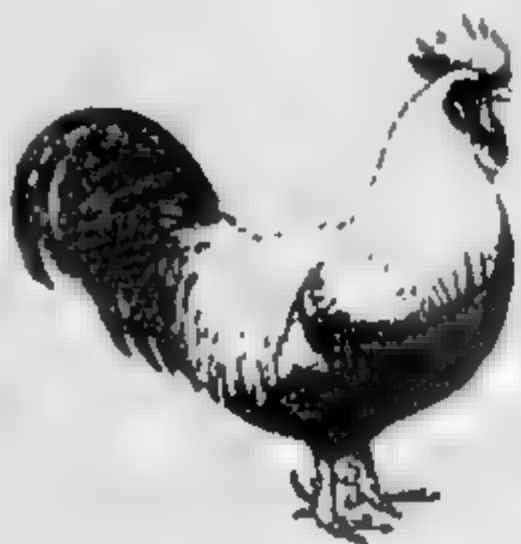
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Send filled ballot, postmarked by April 16, 2001 to:  
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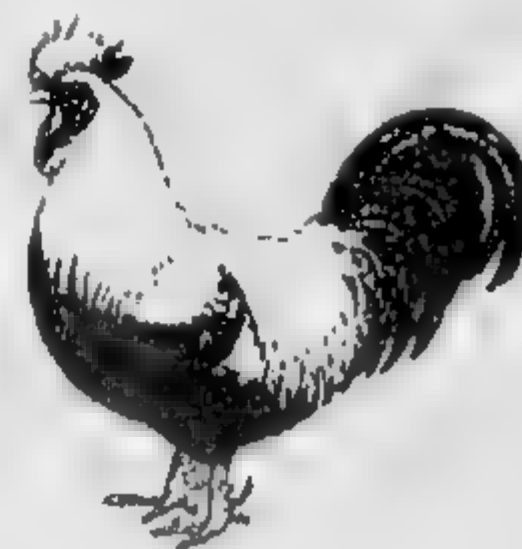
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### Changing of the Guard

Some of you may notice the new address starting with this newsletter. Fortunately for the Club Phil Bartz has agreed to take over the duties of Club Secretary / Treasurer. I in turn agreed to swap offices with Phil and so I am writing my last newsletter as your Secretary / Treasurer. For those of you new to the Club I can assure you that Phil will continue to serve the Club well and I will stay active with breeding and showing Dorkings, but will be assuming a much less visible role with the Club. This is for many reasons, one being a new job which allows for much less time to dedicate to the Club.

You should notice that this is your October and January issue, wonder why? Because I did not receive one thing from anyone, not even one person responded to our election information in the July issue and out of almost 100 members I had only **ONE** person inquiry about the October newsletter. Shame on you! Please do your part, if we are to maintain quarterly newsletters we need your help. Craig, Phil and I can not do it alone. For the very few of you who have supported the Club Letter with articles and pictures I sincerely thank you, I could not have kept things going with out you! For the rest of you, quit thinking someone else will do it, get involved!

As you can see I am very tired of the apathy and lack of input from the membership. Simply put I need a break from the secretarial duties. Does this sound like I'm scolding some of you? Well that's because I am! When was the last time you sent in an article? Or an ad? Or a picture? Or returned a questionnaire? Or anything at all? For the vast majority of our membership the answer is never! I would like to remind ALL of you and I have said this many times, this is your Club, in order for it and the breed to do well you must do your part.

*Those of you who know Craig Russell either by personal contact or by phone conversation or simply by reputation are aware of his vast knowledge of poultry and his dedication to the Dorking. We are fortunate to have Craig as our Historian and the next two articles are the last in a series of breeding articles he wrote for the Club. If you are new to the Club or the breed I highly recommend these articles and would suggest you purchase the back issues containing the series.*

*Bad attitude problem  
on her part.*

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### **Color Breeding White Dorkings**

I've been waiting for this one. Select birds of both sexes that are of good standard type and clear snow-white color.

If an out cross is needed be prepared to grade for a while. Any Dorking could be used but Silver Gray and Light Gray would be your best choice, followed by Dark Gray or black. Avoid Red or Colored or Cuckoo is at all possible. As a descendent of the Dorking the best choice might actually be a White Orpington.

### **Selecting Dorking Breeding Stock**

Selection is an ongoing process because undesirable traits are transmitted and well as good ones. Typical standard birds are not produced by chance, careful and continuous selections are required, and Characteristics acquired by generations of proper selection become fixed.

The most important trait a breeder can possess is persistence. Rolling mating or another form of line breeding will produce a relatively uniform population when followed for a period of time. The breeder's judgement will determine the quality of the population of their flock. Once a desirable flock is established maintenance is fairly easy. Fears of a single mistake in judgement destroying years of selection are groundless, provided you don't stop with an unfavorable result. An outcross that initially produces undesirable results can easily be graded to one side in order to produce the desired type. Your only mistake would be to quit with the bad result.

### ***General points for selecting Dorking breeding.***

- The Dorking comb should be medium large. The single variety comb should have six points; they should be uniform and fairly even in distribution. Avoid breeding from stock that has less than five or more than seven points. Of course six is ideal. The male's comb is erect however the female's tends to lop. The lopped comb in females is preferable to an upright comb. Do not breed from a bird with a side sprig.
- The Rose Comb should be symmetrical, well-formed, square in front and low set on a broad base. The well-defined spike should go straight back and not follow the contour of the head. Avoid overly large or undersized combs. Do not breed from a bird with a telescoped comb.
- The 'Standard' calls for 'bright red ear-lobes', but historically the breed showed tinges of white in the ear-lobe. 'The Standard' specifically list under disqualification; Dorkings 'ear-lobes more than 1/3 white'. Two birds being equal with the exception of the color of the ear-lobe breed from the bird with the reddest ear-lobe. Cull positive white enamel in the ear-lobes
- The Dorking is a rather loose-fitting bird. Extremely tight or hard feathering should be avoided. The males should be well furnished, exhibiting an abundance of flowing feathering.



- The Dorking is a white skinned breed. The legs and feet should be white or pinkish white. One exception to this is the Cuckoo, which allow for some mottling on the legs. It is also a five-toed breed, never breed from an eight or nine-toed bird unless you have absolutely no other option and then religiously cull the offspring for five toes. The fifth toes should be close to and just above the fourth toe. It should however be well separated, showing no tendency to grow together with the fourth toe. Avoid irregularly shape or short fifth toes. Check to make sure the fourth toe is present and avoid breeding from stock that has crooked or misshapen toes. The spurs should be on the inside of the leg, culling birds who's spur appear on the outside of the leg.
- Other characteristics to avoid would include; small size, short backs, short bodies, long legs, high tails, long necks or feather stubs. Whenever in doubt refer to your 'Standard of Perfection'

*Craig Russell*, Club Historian

Dorking Breeding articles by Craig Russell and available only to Dorking Club Members are:

Rolling Matings and Breeding Tips ..... April 1999  
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Thursday December 28, 2000

## Town's famous 'five toed 'un' is a national champion

DORKING, S most famous ambassador has done the town proud in a national competition.

A Dorking cock, whose figure is posted on four signs at the entrances to the town, won best overall breed at the Poultry Club National competition in Warwick.

Lana Gauder, who breeds the historical fowl in Hasleley, took Donald Duck with her to represent the town and was very pleased to win first prize.

It was tough and goes to whether I went because Donald lost a bit of weight the week before, but thank God I did because he did Dorking proud," she said.

Donald, who was given his name because his crow is more like a quack, also picked up a prize in the best age and sex category.

He was bred by my friend Maxine Parsons in Wiltshire and we often swap stock to keep the gene pool healthy," said Miss Gauder.

When I brought him home I knew he had the makings of a champion."

Miss Gauder has researched the rich history of the birds, which were once farmed in large numbers locally and sold in London markets for nobility.

They are a tribute to the chickens that made

Dorking famous for its trade in meat birds," she said. Queen Victoria favoured the Dorking's hens' eggs because they were delicate on the digestion but now the five-toed bird is rare and too valuable to be eaten.

Just a few local farmers preserve the Dorking bird to ensure it does not disappear into extinction.

Lana Gauder is responsible to exhibit and breed to promote them to the general public. They make an ideal Christmas garden chicken to produce eggs and have a character for meat when it takes the opportunity to keep



Cock-a-roop Breeding Dorking in Hasleley

Donald Duck, the town's famous ambassador, won best overall breed at the Poultry Club National competition in Warwick.

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Morning! (just barely for this insomniac...)

I thought some of you may find this of passing interest. At some point in the past I contacted the Texas Animal Health Commission, so I am now on their general email alert list. This created quite a furor down here and nationally, and I guess Purina Mills is buying a bunch of cattle to make into shoe polish or something like that.

A while back one of my contacts from Utah mentioned that he had been having difficulty with his feed causing curly feathers. He felt that the sudden change was due to the feed company starting to use "hog protein" (as in pig parts) in the feed mix. Not that it would pose the same risk as we had on the mad cow disease, but it would seem to me that if cattle parts can't be used, then wouldn't that also apply to pork? There's no figuring those federal regulations...

Sam Brush

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For Immediate Release--

## Feed Contamination Issue Resolved by FDA

Although many of you may have heard the latest regarding the resolution of the cattle feed contamination situation in Texas, I wanted to ensure that you received this statement issued by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA), the agency in charge of regulating feed components. The FDA has said the cattle involved are to be rendered and the material will not enter ruminant or human food channels. The Texas Animal Health Commission (TAHC) will provide assistance to the FDA as requested and needed.

## FDA ANNOUNCES TEST RESULTS FROM TEXAS FEED LOT

Today (Tuesday, Jan. 30) the Food and Drug Administration announced the results of tests taken on feed used at a Texas feedlot that was suspected of containing meat and bone meal from other domestic cattle -- a violation of FDA's 1997 prohibition on using ruminant material in feed for other ruminants. Results indicate that a very low level of prohibited material was found in the feed fed to cattle.

FDA has determined that each animal could have consumed, at most and in total, five-and-one-half grams -- approximately a quarter ounce -- of prohibited material. These animals weigh approximately 600 pounds.

It is important to note that the prohibited material was domestic in origin (therefore not likely to contain infected material because there is no evidence of BSE in U.S. cattle), fed at a very low level, and fed only once. The potential risk of BSE to such cattle is therefore exceedingly low, even if the feed were contaminated.

According to Dr. Bernard Schwetz, FDA's Acting Principal Deputy Commissioner, "The challenge to regulators and industry is to keep this disease out of the United States. One important defense is to prohibit the use of any ruminant animal materials in feed for other ruminant animals. Combined with other steps, like U.S. Department of Agriculture's (USDA) ban on the importation of live ruminant animals from affected countries, these steps represent a series of protections, to keep American cattle free of BSE."

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Despite this negligible risk, Purina Mills, Inc., is nonetheless announcing that it is voluntarily purchasing all 1,222 of the animals held in Texas and mistakenly fed the animal feed containing the prohibited material. Therefore, meat from those animals will not enter the human food supply. FDA believes any cattle that did not consume feed containing the prohibited material are unaffected by this incident, and should be handled in the beef supply clearance process as usual.

FDA believes that Purina Mills has behaved responsibly by first reporting the human error that resulted in the misformulation of the animal feed supplement and then by working closely with State and Federal authorities.

This episode indicates that the multi-layered safeguard system put into place is essential for protecting the food supply and that continued vigilance needs to be taken, by all concerned, to ensure these rules are followed routinely.

FDA will continue working with USDA as well as state and local officials to ensure that companies and individuals comply with all laws and regulations designed to protect the U.S. food supply.

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Subject: Cobleskill 2001

Date: February 4, 2001 5:13:00 PM EST

To: [srobertpowell@juno.com](mailto:srobertpowell@juno.com) [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

Dear Robert, I am starting to work on this years Cobleskill show and I need meets. I don't have a list of directors for certain clubs in our district. Any help you can give me in this matter would be greatly appreciated. Thanks  
Jamie

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From: s robert powell <[srobertpowell@juno.com](mailto:srobertpowell@juno.com)> [Add to Address Book](#) [Show brief headers](#) | [Show all headers](#)

Subject: Addresses for specialty clubs

Date: February 10, 2001 4:35:56 PM EST

To: [mattsjt@aol.com](mailto:mattsjt@aol.com) [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

February 10

Jamie:

I don't have a list of the directors of specialty clubs but I think you can find what you need in three sources:

1. The APA Yearbook--you'll have to flip through it, using the index of advertisers. But you'll find a lot of specialty club names and addresses there.
2. The classified ads at the back of Poultry Press--I see quite a few club names and addresses there.
3. I will send you, today, a paper copy of last year's CPAC fall show catalogue, in which there are lots of specialty club names and addresses. If you have any show catalogues from last year's shows, you'll find all the names and addresses there that you want.

I hope those sources give you what you are looking for.

Robert

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ROBERT POWELL

RD #1 BOX 40

CARBONDALE, PA

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From: Lorna Rhodes <lrhodes@kersur.net> [Add to Address Book](#)

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Subject: Re: Another article

Date: February 6, 2001 3:52:50 PM EST

To: s robert powell <srobertpowell@juno.com> [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

I'll look for it its not here in the office. Lorna

----- Original Message -----

From: s robert powell <srobertpowell@juno.com>

To: Lorna Rhodes <lrhodes@lightband.com>

Sent: Tuesday, February 06, 2001 2:22 PM

Subject: Another article

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article*



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From: Lorna Rhodes <[lrhodes@kersur.net](mailto:lrhodes@kersur.net)> [Add to Address Book](#)

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Subject: Re: Another article

Date: February 6, 2001 9:02:49 PM EST

To: [s robert powell <srobertpowell@juno.com>](mailto:srobertpowell@juno.com) [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

I have searched through all the old yearbooks we have. I don't have the 1984 book I don't find it in any others. Lorna

----- Original Message -----

From: s robert powell <[srobertpowell@juno.com](mailto:srobertpowell@juno.com)>

To: Lorna Rhodes <[lrhodes@lightband.com](mailto:lrhodes@lightband.com)>

Sent: Tuesday, February 06, 2001 2:22 PM

Subject: Another article

> Tuesday, February 6  
>  
> Lorna:  
>  
> Months ago, I asked Wells LaFon to write an article for the "2001  
Yearbook."  
> He contacted me a couple of days ago and said that what he would like to  
do  
> is have an article that he wrote for the APA Yearbook in the 1984 to 1987  
> period reprinted.  
>  
> It's a one-page article titled "The Poultryman's Creed." I don't have all  
of  
> the Yearbooks for the 1980s. In the ones that I have for the late 1980's,  
I  
> didn't see it.  
>  
> If you wouldn't mind looking for the article in the Yearbooks in the early  
> and mid-1980s, and if it's not too late for this article reprint to be  
> included, perhaps his article can be repinted in the 2001 Yearbook?  
>  
> If he's asking too much, or if it's too late to get his article in for  
this  
> year, then we'll do it next year. He'll have to understand and accept our  
> point of view/situation.  
>  
> Thanks.  
>  
> Robert

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From: peter f merlin <pmerlin@juno.com> [Add to Address Book](#) [Show brief headers](#) | [Show all headers](#)

Subject: columbus

Date: February 7, 2001 9:00:57 AM EST

To: [srobertpowell@juno.com](mailto:srobertpowell@juno.com) [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

Hi Robert,

Heads up on the columbus issue. It is my understanding that so far the only intent is to ask Columbus for a document with signature that the judging and showing at the same show will NOT be done in 2002. Now this brings to question whether there will be anything done about the 2000 show let alone the 2001. If indeed the board chooses to weenie right on out on this one there will be a scream from down here so loud they will hear it in CA!

I wish to know what has been said to you from Pat on the issue as my info came from Lorna.

Thanks

ps the artist competition report and rule statements are well under way and will be in Lornas computer by the end of the day. I have been waiting on a brief biography from the adult division winner and the 14-18 winner of 1st and 2nd as the winner had both.

peter

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merci, merci  
Flattery will get  
you everywhere.

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From: [Fran Curtis](#) <[fjcurtis@midcoast.com](mailto:fjcurtis@midcoast.com)> [Add to Address Book](#)

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Subject: Re: CMBF show

Date: February 8, 2001 2:48:23 PM EST

To: [s robert powell](#) <[srobertpowell@juno.com](mailto:srobertpowell@juno.com)> [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

Dear Mr. Powell: I have been away in California so I hope that Forrest Hooper got back to you about the Spring show. We are most happy that you accepted the job and we look forward to your excellent judging abilities. Will be in touch with more information next week as I am playing catch up right now for being gone so long (2 weeks). Fran

----- Original Message -----

From: "s robert powell" <[srobertpowell@juno.com](mailto:srobertpowell@juno.com)>

To: "Fran Curtis" <[fjcurtis@midcoast.com](mailto:fjcurtis@midcoast.com)>

Sent: Monday, January 22, 2001 3:14 PM

Subject: CMBF show

> January 22

>

> Dear Fran:

>

> I accept, with pleasure, your invitation to judge at the 15th Annual Spring

> Show of the Central Maine Bird Fanciers on Sunday, May 27, 2001.

>

> My fee for judging is \$150. I am licensed (APA) to judge standard and bantam

> chickens. I do not have a waterfowl license.

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> Thank you for the invitation.

>

> S. Robert Powell



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From: s robert powell <srobertpowell@juno.com> [Add to Address Book](#) [Show brief headers](#) | [Show all headers](#)

Subject: Bloomsburg spring show

Date: February 8, 2001 3:24:55 PM EST

To: mwwittek@hotmail.com [Add to Address Book](#)

CC: kwp@jsdlegal.com [Add to Address Book](#)

Thursday, February 8

Matt:

The Bloomsburg spring show will take place on Sunday, May 6, 2001.

If you will send your mailing address to me or to the show secretary (Karen Porr--to whom I have sent a copy of this electronic message), we will make sure that you get a copy of the show catalogue as soon as it is available.

Thanks for your interest in showing at Bloomsburg.

S. Robert Powell

*Matt Witte/c*  
*410-644-1485*

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From: s robert powell <srobertpowell@juno.com> Add to Address Book Show brief headers | Show all headers

Subject: Agenda items from District 2

Date: February 9, 2001 1:24:02 PM EST

To: prchurch@flash.net Add to Address Book

CC:

February 10, 2001

Dear Pat:

Here is a list of agenda items for the meeting of the Directors at the semiannual at Wapakoneta on March 16. (As a backup to this electronic copy, I will mail to you, today, a paper copy of this list of agenda items.)

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4. Should the APA produce a list of guidelines and procedures that poultry clubs who are interested in hosting annual or semiannual meets of the APA could use in preparing to host an annual or semiannual meet of the APA (selecting a host motel, getting local support, getting discounts on the local level, advertising, getting the local chamber of commerce involved)? What are the responsibilities of the local club? What are the responsibilities of the APA?
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I look forward to working with you and the other officers and directors at Wapakoneta on behalf of the APA.

Sincerely,

S. Robert Powell

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Date: February 10, 2001

To: Nona Shearer  
Jerry Yeaw

From: S. Robert Powell

RE: APA Membership Committee

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As you know, we three are the members of the APA Membership Committee.

In an effort to make it easy for someone to become a member of the APA, I have put together a membership recruitment flyer that I would like to present to the complete Board of Directors at Wapakoneta on March 16<sup>th</sup> for their comments and review.

Enclosed is a copy of a rough draft of the flyer that I would like to present. Please look this flyer over. Any suggestions that you might have for improving this flyer would be much appreciated. Let me have your comments/corrections/suggestions in a week or two if you can.

Thanks.

S. Robert Powell  
R. D. 1, Box 40  
Carbondale, PA 18407-9706

srobertpowell@juno.com

PS for Jerry:

George Schroeder is going to ride out to Wapakoneta with me on March 16. At the general membership meeting on the 17<sup>th</sup>, he will receive an APA honor/lifetime achievement award from the APA. I've got plenty of room in my truck for another passenger or two if you and Doris would like to ride out to Ohio with us. I'm not too sure how far it is to Wapakoneta from here, but I suppose that we'll probably be leaving from George's house before noon on the 16<sup>th</sup>.



[Peter Merlin]

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Peter —

Enclosed is a draft of an APA membership recruitment flyer that I (as chairman of the APA membership committee) have created and which I will present to the complete Board at the meeting at Wapakoneta for their review and comments.

As I recall, you said that you would not be able to make the trip. I would appreciate it very much, therefore, if you would look over this draft of the flyer and give me your suggestions for improving it. Let me have your comments/corrections/suggestions in a week or two if you can.

Thanks. Robert

[Bart Pals] 2/9/01 2389

Bart—

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In the meantime, I would also appreciate any suggestions for improving this flyer that you might have.

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Robert

February 10, 2001

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Sincerely,

S. Robert Powell

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Arlene -

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Please look over this draft and give me your suggestions for improving it.

Also enclosed is a copy of the agenda items list for the upcoming Directors' meeting that I mailed to Pat Malone today.

Hope you and Jerry are well  
Sincerely,

Robert

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Roland —

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Please look it over and give me your suggestions for improving this draft.

Also enclosed is a copy of my letter of today to Pat Malone — agenda items for the Directors' meeting.

Thanks

Robert



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Roger -

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Thanks.

Robert

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Shelby—

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Please look it over and give me your suggestions for improving this draft.

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Thanks.

Robert

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Kay —

Think about you often. Hope you are making good progress in picking up the pieces of your life and starting over.

Enclosed is a draft of an APA membership recruitment flyer that I created and which I will present to the Board at the meeting on March 16th in Ohio for their review and comments.

Please look over this draft and give me your suggestions for improving it.

Also enclosed is a copy of my letter of today to Pat Malone — agenda items for the Directors' meeting. Hope to see you soon.  
Robert



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Dear Judge,

This letter is to advise you of the expiration of your JUDGE'S CARD in the *POULTRY PRESS*. We hope you'll continue to carry it with us.

You may be interested to know that whenever a show secretary writes to us for names of good judges, we always mail them a copy of the Judge's Listing from the *POULTRY PRESS*.

The rate is only \$12.00 for one year, 2 years for \$23.00, and 3 years is \$32.00. If you've never or not recently had a photo of yourself in the Press for Judge of the Month, please send a picture along and we will let the Poultry Fancier World put a face to your name.

Next edition will soon be out, so we hope to hear from you as soon as possible so that you do not miss out on a single issue.

S. ROBERT POWELL, R.D.1, Box 40,  
Carbondale, PA 18407-9706. 717-282-5197.  
APA #1144 Standard and Bantam  
Chickens.

Thank you so much,

Bill Wulff, Editor

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Subject: Hi this is jay yobst requesting a meet

Date: February 11, 2001 9:29:35 PM EST

To: [srobertpowell@juno.com](mailto:srobertpowell@juno.com) [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

Hi this is Jay yobst. I was wondering if we could have a meet for Westmorland Poultry Fancier Association on april 21, 2001. At Westmorland County Fair Grounds Greensburgh, PA. If this is Possible please E-mail me Back.

Thank you,  
Jay yobst

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Subject: standard black orps  
Date: February 11, 2001 10:45:59 PM EST  
To: [srobertpowell@juno.com](mailto:srobertpowell@juno.com) Add to Address Book  
CC:

Mr. Powell, will you be hatching standard black orps this spring, if so i would like to buy some from you. I have only 2 old hens left and no males. Please let me know if you can supply me with about 20 or what amount that you might have available.

sincerely;

Steve Reagan

[Stmre@aol.com](mailto:Stmre@aol.com)

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Subject: Orpingtons  
Date: February 21, 2001 1:28:38 PM EST  
To: [stmre@aol.com](mailto:stmre@aol.com) Add to Address Book  
CC:

Wednesday, February 21, 2001

Steve:

Yes, I will be hatching (I hope) some standard Black Orpingtons this spring--but probably not very many of them.

A month or so ago, I set up a breeding pen with four very nice birds: a beautiful cockerel, two old hens (one of them, with superior Orpington type), and one pullet. They started to lay, right on schedule, and fertility was good. I hatched about a dozen young from the first setting of eggs. And then the male got sick. I'm not sure what it is--"going light" perhaps.

Whatever it is, fertility immediately went to zero. And that's where I stand right now. The hens continue to lay but the eggs are not fertile. The male eats and drinks OK, but he is only about 80% himself. I've tried everything.

The real problem is that he is the only male that I have. Last Fall I culled very heavily and decided that he was the only male that I wanted to breed from. In all the years I have been raising chickens, this is the first time I have backed myself into a corner like this.

I'm hoping for a couple of nice cockerels from the few chicks that I do have. If not, I'm going to be in the same situation that you're in now.

Maybe I will have an extra cockerel later in the year. But that will probably be too late for your present needs.

Robert



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From: Pat Malone <prchurch@flash.net> [Add to Address Book](#)

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Subject: Re: Agenda items from District 2

Date: February 11, 2001 8:06:07 AM EST

To: s robert powell <srobertpowell@juno.com> [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

Dear Robert,

Your e-mail received, and the items you sent will be on the agenda. I wrote the president, vice president, and secretary of the Ohio Poultry Breeders and asked them about the show last November and also what their position was regarding respecting and enforcing Article VII, Section 3, paragraph f (you will get a copy of the letter in your board meeting packet). Have not heard from them yet. I told them I needed an answer before our board meeting March 16th.

With peace and blessings,

Pat Malone

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**Subject:** Re: Bloomsburg spring show

**Date:** February 12, 2001 7:17:01 AM EST

**To:** [srobertpowell@juno.com](mailto:srobertpowell@juno.com) [Add to Address Book](#)

**CC:** [kwp@jtdlegal.com](mailto:kwp@jtdlegal.com) [Add to Address Book](#)

>Matt:

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>The Bloomsburg spring show will take place on Sunday, May 6, 2001.

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>If you will send your mailing address to me or to the show secretary (Karen  
>Porr--to whom I have sent a copy of this electronic message), we will make  
>sure that you get a copy of the show catalogue as soon as it is available.

>

>Thanks for your interest in showing at Bloomsburg.

>

>S. Robert Powell

>

Robert and Karen,

Thank you for the information and look forward to attending the show.

My home mailing address is : Matthew Wm. Wittek, 5410 Frederick Avenue,  
Baltimore, Maryland 21229 My phone numbers are (Home) 410-644-1485, (Work)  
240-629-1914

Thanks for your time,  
Matthew

>

2/14/01 CPAC newsletter  
sent 2/22/01

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# *York County Poultry Fanciers Association*

*Sue Boose, Show Secretary/Treasurer*

*1212 West College Avenue*

*York, PA 17404*

*Ph.# 717-852-0149, E-Mail cecil3@gte.net*

February 14, 2001

Mr. S. Robert Powell  
American Poultry Association-District Director  
RR 1 Box 40  
Carbondale, PA 18407-9706

Dear Mr. Powell:

The York County Poultry Fanciers Association is hosting its annual fall show on October 27<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> 2001 at the York Fairgrounds/Expo Center.

Last year we hosted a State Meet for the American Poultry Association. We thank you very much for the opportunity to host this meet last year. We would appreciate your meet again for our show. We understand a District Meet may not be possible this year or a National Meet either due to writing so late in the year for one, if it is great we'll make it our best. Please respond at your earliest convenience, so we may publicize your meet in our ads. Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

*Sue A. Boose*

Sue A. Boose  
Show Secretary/Treasurer

*APA "Club" meet -  
told her in an  
e-mail on  
2/23/01*



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# York County Poultry Fanciers Association

Sue Boose, Show Secretary/Treasurer

1212 West College Avenue

York, PA 17404

Ph.# 717-852-0149, E-Mail cecil3@gte.net

February 16, 2001

S. Robert Powell  
United Orpington Club  
RD 1 Box 40  
Carbondale, PA 18407

UOC "special" meet —  
told her in an e-mail  
on 2/23/01

Dear Mr. Powell:

The York County Poultry Fanciers Association is hosting its annual fall show on October 27<sup>th</sup> and 28<sup>th</sup> 2001 at the York Fairgrounds/Expo Center.

We are trying to get as many breed meets as possible to help promote everyone's breed. Last year we hosted a State Meet for your club. As some clubs know we offer ten dollars for each champion and five dollars for each reserve champion for each District breed meet placed with our show. For Nationals we offer a trophy for champion and a trophy for reserve champion, and a twenty-five cent rebate goes to the breed club for each bird shown. We would appreciate your meet for our show. Please respond at your earliest convenience so we may publicize your meet in our ads.

Sincerely,

*Sue A. Boose*

Sue A. Boose  
Show Secretary/Treasurer

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From: [Stmre@aol.com](mailto:Stmre@aol.com) [Add to Address Book](#)

Subject: Re: Orpingtons

Date: February 21, 2001 9:51:38 PM EST

To: [srobertpowell@juno.com](mailto:srobertpowell@juno.com) [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

Sorry to hear that you have only one male, a couple of years ago I also weeded out my males down to 2 and wound up losing 1 to an owl and the other just died, I now only have 2 old hens and they don't lay very often. I hope you start to get some fertile eggs. Please email me if you will have some chicks for sale later this spring, I would like any amount up to 25 if possible.

sincerely,

Steve Reagan

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From: Gerry H Curkendall <ghcurkendall@juno.com> [Add to Address Book](#) [Show brief headers](#) | [Show all header](#)

Subject: Berks Show

Date: February 11, 2001 6:57:56 PM EST

To: srobertpowell@juno.com [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

Can you tell me if there is no Berks Fanciers show this year?

Regards, Gerry Curkendall

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From: s robert powell <srobertpowell@juno.com> [Add to Address Book](#) [Show brief headers](#) | [Show all headers](#)

Subject: Berks show

Date: February 21, 2001 12:38:35 PM EST

To: ghcurkendall@juno.com [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

Wednesday, February 21

Gerry:

I don't know if there will be a Berks show this spring.

The two people who would know are Elton Minnich and Muard Naugle.

Elton Minnich: 610-298-3467. His mailing address is 6555 Madison Street, New Tripoli, PA 18066.

Muard Naugle: Tier Haven, Strausstown, PA 19559-0303

If you wouldn't mind, let me know what you find out and I will post that information on the APA District 2 webpage.

Thank you.

S. Robert Powell  
APA District 2 Director



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Subject: CPAC space ad for March issue

Date: February 10, 2001 4:27:06 PM EST

To: Bill Wulff <poultryp@si-net.com> [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

February 10

Bill:

Here is a 2-column by 3-inch space ad for the March issue of "Poultry Press":

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BLOOMSBURG, PA

Auction, May 5 SHOW, May 6

Sponsored by the Central Pennsylvania  
Avian Club

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Thanks.

S. Robert Powell

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From: s robert powell <srobertpowell@juno.com> Add to Address Book Show brief headers | Show all headers

Subject: UOC webpage

Date: February 13, 2001 4:11:07 PM EST

To: Warren Tye <orps@juno.com> Add to Address Book

CC:

February 12, 2001

Warren:

Got your paper note of 02-06-01. I'll take care of that request for a UOC meet at Bloomsburg, PA on May 6, 2001.

It's fine with me if the UOC webpage is permanently housed on the Poultry Connection site.

Two important questions come to mind: (1) Is that a free site?, and (2) Who's going to do the updating of the UOC page?

I shall be very pleased to fade into the background and let anyone who wants to take charge of the UOC webpage do so. I created the page initially because there seemed to be a definite need for the club to have a web presence. Now that we have a provisional webpage, if someone else wants to pick up the ball and run with it, that would be fine with me.

As soon as I send this e-mail to you, I think I'll go to the Poultry Connection site and see what's going on there.

Robert

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From: s robert powell <srobertpowell@juno.com> Add to Address Book Show brief headers | Show all headers

Subject: UOC webpage

Date: February 13, 2001 4:24:47 PM EST

To: Warren Tye <orps@juno.com> Add to Address Book

CC:

February 12, 2001

Warren:

Got your paper note of 02-06-01. I will take care of that request for a UOC meet at the Central Pennsylvania Avian Club show on May 6, 2001.

I have no problem with the UOC webpage being housed on the Poultry Connection site. Two questions come to mind: (1) Is that a free site? and (2) Who is going to maintain the page?

When I created the UOC page initially, I did so because there was a definite need to have a web presence for the UOC. If someone else now wants to pick up the ball and run with it, that's fine with me.

As soon as I send this e-mail to you, I think I'll go the the Poultry Connection site and have a look around.

Best regards,

Robert

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From: Terry & Alice Hanselman <bullelk@jdweb.com> [Add to Address Book](#) [Show brief headers](#) | [Show all headers](#)  
Subject: Buff Brahma  
Date: February 13, 2001 4:13:30 PM EST  
To: srobertpowell@juno.com [Add to Address Book](#)  
CC:

Sir,

Do you know where we can purchase Buff Brahma's? Either chicks or hatching eggs. We are looking for the standard size Brahma not the Bantam. We live in Central Pa. Thank you for your time! Alice

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From: s robert powell <srobertpowell@juno.com> [Add to Address Book](#) [Show brief headers](#) | [Show all headers](#)  
Subject: Buff Brahmas  
Date: February 21, 2001 1:40:50 PM EST  
To: bullelk@jdweb.com [Add to Address Book](#)  
CC:

February 21

Terry and Alice:

The two people who might have some standard Buff Brahma eggs or chicks are:

Merl Ryneanson: 570-289-4233; R. R. 1, Box 1217, Hop Bottom, PA 18824

Rev. Roland Romig: 570-888-2237; 221 North Elmer Avenue, Sayre, PA 18840

Good luck.

S. Robert Powell

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From: Terry & Alice Hanselman <bullelk@jdweb.com> [Add to Address Book](#) [Show brief headers](#) | [Show all headers](#)  
Subject: Re: Buff Brahmas  
Date: February 21, 2001 5:04:10 PM EST  
To: s robert powell <srobertpowell@juno.com> [Add to Address Book](#)  
CC:

Thank you!



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Volume 76, April 1990

I will be at the APA semiannual at Wapakoneta in March. If it will be possible for you to take the 15 issues in question with you to Ohio, I would appreciate it very much. You can be assured that I will carefully look after these 15 issues from your collection with the utmost care.

Thanks.

S. Robert

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From: s robert powell <srobertpowell@juno.com> Add to Address Book Show brief headers | Show all headers

Subject: UOC webpage

Date: February 14, 2001 12:59:53 PM EST

To: Warren Tye <orps@juno.com> Add to Address Book

CC:

02-14-01

Warren:

When I first got your message about the UOC webpage, I was under the impression that the page was going to be moved and managed through the "Poultry Connection" website.

Having looked at the "Poultry Connection" site, I now realize that what we have there is only a "link." That's good. No charge to be included in a list of poultry clubs. The management of the UOC site remains under the control of the UOC.

Given the large number of people who visit the "Poultry Connection" site, a lot more people will learn of the existence of our UOC webpage--which is great.

Robert

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From: Mark Whitebread <mdw7@psu.edu> [Add to Address Book](#)

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Subject: Martha Stewart

Date: February 14, 2001 3:25:09 PM EST

To: s robert powell <srobertpowell@juno.com> [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

SRP,

One of our professors has or is in the process of writing a book about Martha Stewart. She has also done some lecturing on our favorite domestic goddess.

This professor also borrowed the tape of our Bloomsburg show from me. The question to you is are you still in contact with Martha's people? Would it be possible for me to have an address that someone from here can make contact with Martha? They wish to invite her to speak at some event here and I said I could perhaps get the address of the people who need to be contacted.

Any help would be greatly appreciated.

Thanks,

Mark

ps Which upcoming spring shows will you be attending?

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From: Mark Whitebread <mdw7@psu.edu> [Add to Address Book](#)

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Subject: Fwd: Muscovy duck origins

Date: February 12, 2001 3:26:59 PM EST

To: s robert powell <srobertpowell@juno.com> [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

SRP,

I thought you might find this person interesting. He is obviously of the French persuasion and I was wondering if you would be interested in answering him. I of course do not speak or write in french.

If not I'll just forward this to our secretary.

Thanks,

MDW

ps by the way, why didn't you take the credit for writing the muscovy article for the APA?

I'll make sure credit is given.

>X-PH: V4.1@f05n11

>From: "avicole" <frederic.aubert@freesbee.fr>

>To: <mdw7@psu.edu>

>Subject: Muscovy duck origins

>Date: Sat, 10 Feb 2001 22:15:29 +0100

>X-Mailer: Microsoft Outlook Express 5.50.4133.2400

>X-Apparently-From: [Supdiversi@aol.com](mailto:Supdiversi@aol.com)

>

>Dear Sir,

>

>I you contact, because I have deconvert your site, and I would like to

>know if you could provide me information on the origins of the ducks

>muscovy, like photographs of this ducks has the states savage, all that

>for one impassions of this duck.

>

>greetings

>

>Frédéric Aubert

>( FRANCE)

>e-mail permanent : <<mailto:avitat@faresuivre.com>>avitat@faresuivre.com

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February 14, 2001

Sam:

Enclosed is a copy of a DRAFT of an APA membership recruitment flyer that I (as chairman of the APA membership committee) created recently.

I will present copies of this flyer to all of the members of the Board of Directors at the meeting at Wapakoneta on March 16 for their review and comments.

In the meantime, I would appreciate it if you would cast your keen editorial eye over this draft and tell me how it can be improved: deletions, corrections, amplifications, you name it.

If you can let me have your comments, electronically, in a couple a weeks that will allow me plenty of time to incorporate all changes before producing some copies to take with me to Wapakoneta.

Thanks.

S. Robert



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MINUTES OF THE FLFC MEETING JANUARY 20, 2001

TREASURER'S REPORT by Della Davis

Balance \$762.27 [checking]

\$1511.70 [savings]

A checking account has been opened for The Yankee Classic.

Motion to approve Paul Jones, Second Thola Waldau

Approved

OLD BUSINESS

Election Results

Vice President: Dick Waldau

Treasurer: Della Davis

Directors: John Pierce, Bob Ritchie, Gary Petit, Charles Casper

Judges for June Show

Erik Nelson (Maine), S. Robert Powell (PA), Dwight Scott (NY),

NEW BUSINESS

↑ SRP

Recommended by Della Davis to send Peggy Curtis \$50.00 for a Memorial.

Motion Stanley Braun, Second by John Rebhahn

Approved

Recommended by Della Davis to have dues run from June to June

Discussion.

Recommendation rescinded.

Adds for the APA and the ABA Year book were solicited. Roger Davis will submit by the deadlines.

Spring Show

Book by Bob Ritchie

We have the building contract. Insurance is still in place from Yankee Classic.

50/50 Raffle by Dick and Thola Waldau. Each member will be given ten Tickets at the next meeting.

Sales coops will remain at 4 per cage and \$.25 per bird.

The Waldaus will be the liaison with the Pigeon Club and will report on their Participation.

Yankee Classic report by John Pierce

Financial: broke even.

Good participation from all clubs

Good profit from raffles.

Judges for 2001: S. Robert Powell, and Ernie Derb, with two to be named.

Fund balance \$392.06

Motion by D. Waldau to leave funds in Classic account, second by Paul Jones.

Approved.

Life Membership Award to Lillian Morey and Frank Fay.

Motion by Paul Jones, Second by Chuck Riggs. Approved.

← SRP

Than! s to John Pierce for all of his hard work on the Spring Show, the State Fair and The Yankee Classic.

Motion to approve the minutes

by Stanley Braun, second by Paul Jones. Approved

NEXT MEETING MARCH 10, at 1:00 at the Pierces.

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From: R.F.D. <RogerFD@webtv.net> [Add to Address Book](#)

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Subject: Mail

Date: February 14, 2001 10:31:29 PM EST

To: srobertpowell@juno.com [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

The membership flyer looks good. The only comment is, it might give recognition to the Show Bird Journal. I know she is struggling to make a viable publication, and sometimes the grammar should be proof read, ect. (My opinion) If credit is given to the other publications, I think hers' should also be recognised. I think a flyer like this will help promote new members.

I still am waiting for an answer from the Northern NY club about the "State Meet". They will have a meeting the first Sat. in March. It seems they didn't get enough members out for a meeting in Dec. or Jan.

My first hatch will come off Sunday. Fertility was good except for the SL Wyandottes bantams. For some reason they don't seem to be very active. Maybe if we get some warm days it will help.

I have been struggling with tendinitis for about 8 weeks. Physical therapy has helped some, but the Doctor isn't satisfied with the progress, so I'm scheduled for an MRI tomorrow morning. Maybe we can get to the bottom of it. ~~~Roger

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From: Stanley Fernald <trapperbuck@webtv.net> [Add to Address Book](#)

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Subject: Poultry Shows

Date: February 15, 2001 3:54:22 PM EST

To: srobertpowell@juno.com [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

I would like to know the Names in my ofpoultry clubs..I have only found one the FLFC .Carol Pierce is sec'y tres i joined but could not make first meting in January this year .I believe there is mor near me .I live in utica N.Y.I sure would a appreciate it . THank YOU

# Central Pennsylvania Avian Club NEWSLETTER

February 14, 2001

S. Robert Powell, Editor (R. D. 1, Box 40, Carbondale, PA 18407-9706)

srobertpowell@juno.com

## Spring Auction, May 5

## Spring Show, May 6

(chicken belt buckles for class champions)

## Help Needed

It takes a lot of work to sponsor a successful poultry auction and show. A small handful of people can not do it alone.

Get involved. There's lots to be done between now and the first weekend in May.

## Membership Renewals

Since the December 29, 2000 *Newsletter*, membership renewals have been received from Rodney L. Fry, Richard and Lynda Robinson, and Robert and Lois Yount.

If there is a yellow membership renewal form enclosed in your issue of this *Newsletter*, fill it out and mail it in or this will be the last issue of this *Newsletter* that you receive.

## Specials for Spring Show

A fill-in-the-blanks form for putting up "specials" for the CPAC spring show is enclosed.

If you would like to sponsor a "special," fill out the form NOW and mail it to Karen Porr. The show catalogues will go to print in mid-March and will be mailed on April 1<sup>st</sup>. If you would like your specials to be listed in the catalogue, Karen must receive them as soon as possible.

## Tom Roebuck Article

Congratulations to Tom Roebuck on his article, titled "As I See It," in the Winter 2000 *ABA Quarterly* (pp. 26-27).

In his article, Tom discusses the fact that some of the breed characteristics of Cochin bantams are being overlooked by breeders and judges. Specific concerns include: improper eye color, improper color of feet and beaks in Whites, improper undercolor in Blacks, and improper color in Mottled Cochins.

It's a good article. If you don't have access to the *ABA Quarterly*, let me know and I'll make sure you get a copy of Tom's article.

## Extraordinary Chickens

John Alloway reported on February 1<sup>st</sup> that there were 100 people on the waiting list at his local book store for the Stephen Green-Armytage book, *Extraordinary Chickens*, published by Harry Abrams, Inc.

You will perhaps recall that during a promotional segment for this book on the *Today* show on October 25, 2000 that S. Robert Powell provided the live visual aids—a half dozen exhibition birds.

I understand that a second printing of the book is now underway and that all back orders will be filled as soon as possible.



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It's good to know that there is a market for a picture book on exhibition chickens.

### **Poultry Seminar**

Ron Stiles has organized a poultry seminar at his house on Saturday, February 24, from 10 A.M. to 1 P.M.

Three or four young people that Ron has been in touch with, among others, will be at the seminar. At the session, Ron will demonstrate how to trim beaks and toe nails and wash birds for a show. Robert Powell will demonstrate how birds are blood tested and discuss the criteria that are used to evaluate birds at a poultry show.

The seminar participants have been invited to bring one or more of their birds with them to the seminar.

For additional information, contact Ron Stiles at 570-465-3207.

### **CPAC Fall 2000 Show**

All of page 64 in the January 2001 issue of *Poultry Press* is about the CPAC fall show on October 15, 2000.

### **APA Yearbook Ad**

The CPAC has placed a full page "In Memoriam" in the *2001 APA Yearbook*. A copy of that full-page notice is reproduced herein on page 3.

### **Eleanor Vinhage**

In his e-mail to Robert Powell of January 14, Gus Vinhage reported: "Eleanor was operated on for an aneurysm on August 14. Severe complications resulted. She is in a skilled nursing facility and we are hoping to get her home soon. The worst complication is that she is now paralyzed from the waist on down. Our life will be different."

The Vinhages' e-mail address is

AnEVinhage@aol.com

Their mailing address is: c/o American Bantam Association, Post Office Box 127, Augusta, NJ 07822.

### **Cyril F. Menges**

I was going through some APA yearbooks from the 1970's and 1980's and came across the full-page ad from the late Cyril F. Menges that is reproduced herein on page 4.

At the time, Cyril Menges raised seven colors of Guinea Fowl, including skyblue, lakenpur, and silverwing.

Cyril Menges was a wonderful

### **2001 Envelopes**

Again this year, we are pleased to say "thank you" to the anonymous CPAC member who donates annually to the club not only the mailing envelopes but also the cost of printing them.

This is a very generous donation and saves the club several hundred dollars every year.

### **APA Semiannual**

The APA semiannual meet and convention will take place on March 17-18 in conjunction with the show of the West Central Ohio Poultry Breeders in Wapakoneta, OH.

At the general membership meeting of the APA on March 17, George Schroeder (Post Office Box 91, Prompton, PA 18456-0091, 570-253-3015) will be presented with an APA honor-lifetime achievement award.

### **Twenty Years Ago**

Reproduced herein on page 4 is the full-page ad that the CPAC placed in the *1981 APA Yearbook*.

### **Ben Maurer**

Ben died on January 7. Here is a copy of the e-mail that Kay St.

Amour (2017 Castleton Road, Darlington, MD 21034) sent at 12-06 A.M. on January 8: "This is the e-mail that I never wanted to send but sometimes we must do things we don't want to do. Tonight Ben passed away just after 9:00 P.M. He had been fighting a gallant fight against infections but was getting weaker each day. His will to live was very strong and he was very brave. He will be greatly missed by many. Thank you all who sent cards and e-mails to him. I know he appreciated them. Kay"

### APA Qualifying Meet for Guinea Fowl

If you have raised a particular variety of Guinea Fowl (pearl, lavender, white, etc.) for at least five years, please put that in writing in the form of a dated letter to me (address given at the head of this *Newsletter*) or to the Rev. Roland Romig (221 North Elmer Avenue, Sayre, PA 18840).

In your letter, please mention that you are interested in seeing Guinea Fowl admitted to the *American Standard of Perfection (ASOP)* and that you endorse the present effort to have them admitted.

As soon as the Guinea Fowl "committee" (open to all who are interested in seeing Guinea Fowl admitted to the *ASOP*) have produced a written description of the type and color of the proposed varieties of Guinea Fowl that we will present for admission, the time and place of the Guinea Fowl qualifying meet will be announced.

At the qualifying meet, at least five different breeders will have to show a total of at least 50 birds of each variety to be admitted.

Full-page ad sponsored by CPAC  
**2001 APA YEARBOOK:**

#### CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA AVIAN CLUB

President: Carl Harris  
Vice-President: Craig Russell  
Board of Directors: Leon Keeler, Wally Casazza  
Show Secretary: Karen Porr  
Auctioneer: Rev. Roland Romig  
Secretary/Treasurer: S. Robert Powell  
R. D. 1, Box 40, Carbondale, PA 18407-9706

#### IN MEMORIAM

#### DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA AVIAN CLUB (est. 1974)

Under the direction of Leon Keeler, the following list of deceased members of the CPAC (five or more years in the club) has been compiled:

Ackley, Charles	Kline, Raymond
Bortner, Burnell ("Bruno")	Kosinski, Charles
Charney, Mickey	Laubach, Zane
Corson, Victor	Leech, Ed
Crittenden, Tom	Lord, Carl
Cromley, Luther ("Duke")	Loxley, Honil
Dotterer, Bill	Menges, Cyril
Exley, Albert	Maynard, Nellie
Eyster, Marlin L.	Rose, Cecil E.
Fike, Fred	Ritter, Ernest
Franklin, Walter	Sabol, George
Frazier, Don	Slusser, Paul
Hall, Charles, Jr.	Smith, Clifford
Heim, Jim	Smith, Larry
Huylsizer, Floyd	Thompson, Tom

CPAC shows and auctions: first weekend in May, third weekend in October. For additional information, contact Carl Harris at 570-433-3719.



## CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA AVIAN CLUB

"A Club on the Move"

### 7th Annual Spring Show & Auction May 8 & 9, 1982

1982 Show Secretary is Carl L. Harris

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Box 95, RD #2

Watsonstown, PA 17777

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THOMAS W. CERITTENDEN

RD. #1, Box 232

Mansfield, PA 16933

717-662-3755

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## Guinea Fowl

There will be a meeting at next month's APA semiannual meeting and convention in Wapakoneta, OH, of those persons who are interested in getting Guinea Fowl admitted to the *American Standard of Perfection*.

The meeting will take place on Saturday, March 17, beginning at 11 A.M. The Reverend Roland Romig and S. Robert Powell will chair the meeting.

### From the District 2 Director, S. Robert Powell

It seems to me that all of us who raise exhibition poultry should be members of the APA and the ABA.

In the event that you are not a member of the APA, you will not have seen or read the District 2 news in the Winter 2000-01 *News and Views* (pp. 5-8).

Here, then, is the report from the District 2 director from the latest issue of the APA's quarterly newsletter, *News and Views*:

District 2(NY, NJ, PA,DE, MD,  
DC) S. Robert Powell

As soon as the show boxes are put away at the end of the fall show season, I set up breeding pens and prepare to hatch and raise next year's "champions."

Hatching and raising chicks, using mostly setting hens, is one of my favorite poultry activities. It is surely one of the best ways to get through the winter.

Who cares if it's twenty below zero and there's so much snow on the ground and on the roof that you can hardly find your house, let alone your poultry buildings? Who has the time to worry about ice and snow when there's important work to be done. There are chicks, poults, ducklings, goslings, and keets to be

hatched. There are young birds to be raised. There's important work to be done if you're going to hatch and raise that bird that will walk off with the top honors at "the big show" next Fall.

And speaking of big shows, it was an excellent fall 2000 show season in District 2, with at least one show just about every weekend from early September to Thanksgiving: Twin Tier (9/10), Northern New York (9/17), Eastern New York (9/24), Garden State (9/30-10/1), Rochester (9/30-10/1), Bloomsburg (10/15), Yankee Classic (10/21-22), Uniontown (10/20-22), York (10/28-29), and Maryland (11/4-5).

By my count, there were 19 APA-sanctioned poultry-club sponsored shows in District 2 in 2000! We're really very fortunate to have so many first-class shows in this district.

I showed or judged at six shows in the District this past fall (Twin Tier, Eastern New York, Garden State, Bloomsburg, Yankee Classic, and Maryland State) and would have shown at Northern New York, Rochester, Uniontown, and York, as well, had I not been judging elsewhere or otherwise committed those weekends.

Two general observations on the fall shows: (1) there seem to be a lot of junior exhibitors who are getting actively involved with showing--which is wonderful--and (2) the quality of the birds shown was very high—even though the number of birds shown at some shows was down a bit from previous years.

In mid-September, I judged at the double-sanctioned show sponsored by the North Iowa Poultry Association and the RBR club. It was a very

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interesting and gratifying experience. See the many articles on this inaugural double sanctioned show that were published in the November issue of "Poultry Press." The same show format was also used successfully at the Three Amigos and Tres Hombres show in Sedalia, MO, on September 30, 2000—see the article on that show in the December issue of "Poultry Press."

And then in late-October, there was the annual meet of the APA in Woodstock, Ontario, Canada. That was my first APA national convention as APA District 2 director, and it was an honor and a pleasure to represent District 2 there.

Be sure to read, elsewhere in this issue of "News and Views," the minutes of the APA meetings that took place in Canada in October.

At the Directors' meeting at Woodstock, it was my pleasure to nominate George Schroeder, a District 2 native son and one of the most highly respected poultry judges in America and a master breeder of Cochin bantams, for an APA honor/lifetime achievement award. The award will be presented at the APA 2001 semiannual meet that will be hosted by the West Central Ohio Poultry Breeders on March 17-18 in Wapakoneta, OH.

As you perhaps know, a new book on exhibition poultry, "Extraordinary Chickens," has just been published by Harry Abrams, Inc. The author of the book, Stephen Green-Armytage, contacted Arlene Sliker (New Jersey state rep for the APA) and asked her to put him in touch with someone who had a variety of exhibition poultry and who would be willing to

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take some birds to New York and appear with them on the Today show. Arlene put Stephen Green-Armytage in contact with me.

The Today show segment was arranged by the book's publisher in order to promote the book. The live birds were the visual aids for the segment. I drove to New York on the afternoon of October 24th and drove directly to the NBC studio on West 47th Street. Stephen met me there and we unloaded the birds and put them, in their traveling boxes, into the NBC Studio.

There is a strong emphasis in "Extraordinary Chickens" on chickens that the average person might not see every day. At the author's request, therefore, I took the following birds to New York: standard Black Cochin cockerel, bantam Brown Red Modern Game pullet, White Silkie cockerel, standard Mottled Houdan hen, standard Splash Polish cockerel, standard Buff Orpington cock.

At 6 A.M. on the 25th, Stephen and I were introduced to Katie Couric and Matt Lauer. There was a run-through of the poultry segment at that time. Stephen and I then went up to the Green Room and waited for our turn to go on the air. It was, I must say, very exciting to watch all the behind-the-scenes activity that goes on for the daily Today show broadcast. At one moment, for example, I was talking to Matt in the Green Room. Two minutes later, he was on the air, talking with another guest about retirement planning for senior citizens.

The poultry segment went very well. Matt Lauer talked mostly with Stephen Green-Armytage about the book. I was in charge of the chickens and put them into the hands of Matt and Stephen at the appropriate

times. The chickens "performed" well and were a big hit with everyone. It was a wonderful five-minute segment during which exhibition poultry were presented in a very positive and interesting light. There will, I'm sure, be many positive consequences of the broadcast for exhibition poultry.

The publisher of the book paid for my hotel (the Shoreham on West 55<sup>th</sup> Street) and all my transportation expenses and meals. I was treated to dinner by Stephen Green-Armytage at a Thai restaurant on Eighth Avenue.

Everyone at NBC was very nice to me and very interested in the birds. It was a very memorable experience.

All of us, I think, have an obligation to promote our hobby whenever and wherever we can. If we all do our part to promote exhibition poultry, the hobby will be an option for those who come after us.

Many members of the APA, it seems, are not aware of the APA's product line. Between April 1, 2000, when I took office as APA District 2 director, and the end of 2000, I set up an APA sales and membership table at six poultry shows or events in District 2 and sold \$772.00 in APA merchandise and memberships for the organization. If you're not familiar with what's available from the APA, go to the APA's webpage and have a look around.

Before you know it, the Spring show season will be here. Very early in the season will be the Berks show (contacts are Muard Naugle and Elton Minnich).

Then it will be the Susquehanna show (contact is Kay St. Amour). Then the Westmoreland show (contact is Ray Hile or Jack Tickle).

And then the 26th annual Delmarva show, which will take place on April 8, and which, I have learned from Richard Barczewski, will take place this year in a new Exhibition Hall on the Delaware State Fairgrounds at Harrington, DE. Four judges have been confirmed already: Lewis Cunningham, Will Burton, Ralph Beamer, and Don Nelson. The Delmarva show this spring will host the 2001 APA District 2 meet.

Additional details on all of these early spring shows will be announced here and on the APA District 2 webpage as soon as they are available. To access the District 2 webpage, go to the APA's webpage ([www.ampltya.com](http://www.ampltya.com)) and click on "Directors." There, under my name, you will see a webaddress. Click on that address, and the APA District 2 webpage should appear before you.

These early spring shows are always very nice, so make plans now to show at as many of them as you can. Why not set a goal for yourself of attending this Spring at least one show you've never shown at before?

And remember to thank the people who make possible every show you attend. Poultry clubs, as you know, don't have to put on shows. They do so because they choose to. So, after you've packed up at the end of a show, make it a point to find the show secretary and personally thank him/her and the club as a whole for putting on the show and for all the work that they all have put in to make the show possible. The entire club will appreciate your thanks, and it will make them want to do it again next year. At the same time, saying "thank you" will also make you feel good.



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Subject: Fw: APA

Date: February 15, 2001 10:25:47 PM EST

To: [srobert powell <srobertpowell@juno.com>](mailto:srobertpowell@juno.com) [Add to Address Book](#)

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Robert,

I'm probably putting my head on the block but I sent the following letter to Pat tonight. I do think he's a fair person. Have you had any feedback from all of this? I have visions of myself as the poultry pariah. It's hard enough having "those damn ducks" & being a woman in this hobby. Stay tuned.

Still cranking out chicks? My birds are beginning to think about it.

Take care,

Evy

[\\*new---eravery@stny.rr.com](mailto:*new---eravery@stny.rr.com)

----- Original Message -----

From: [Evy](#)

To: [Pat Malone](#)

Sent: Thursday, February 15, 2001 7:05 PM

Subject: APA

Hi Pat,

Hope you're 'wintering well'. From what I hear from my Texas relatives, you've had a strange year weatherwise. Hope it improves with spring.

I just wanted to put in my two cents worth on the "judges showing" matter. First, I think the rules against it should be extended to cover "family" if it isn't already. No matter how honest a person may be, it just doesn't look right. I know from personal observation that the people that abuse it the most are also extremely dishonest. Since it does no good to complain, I just don't show under them. I'll miss Columbus.

Secondly, I and a growing number of waterfowl breeders resent the way the APA has effectively buried the waterfowl with their "landfowl" rule, especially where the bantam ducks are concerned. They are in the Standard & have every right to be given the same consideration that every other type of bird is given. I'm afraid Bob Powell is annoyed with me, but I told him I probably won't renew my membership this year unless some improvements are made. What's the point of belonging to an organization that doesn't even acknowledge you? The way some (ie. Forrest Bueford) have treated the bantam ducks is unforgivable. I'm sure you are aware of his treatment of the ABA winner of the Jr. class at the Claremore show. He's tried the same thing with a few adults, too.

I'll get off my soapbox. I just wanted to get something on the record. Thanks for voting on the "right side". I don't know if Clell & his cronies can ever be contained but they can be boycotted.

Thanks for listening. Hope your hatching season is a great success.

Sincerely,

Evy Avery



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**Subject:** letter

**Date:** February 15, 2001 10:18:38 PM EST

**To:** S. R. Powell <srobertpowell@juno.com> [Add to Address Book](#)

**CC:**

Robert;

I received you letter today. I thought it looked great!

I called Duane Urch tonight to see if he had received the proposal I sent him. He said he had received it and was just waiting to hear from the A.P.A. as to when they can send in items for the agenda. What a guy!

Sam called tonight, he sounded the best he has for a long time. He has had quite a battle with judging the last couple of years. I hope he isn't too down about it.

I was to judge Santa Fe last weekend but got snowed in here. Luckily the guy that puts on the show works for the D.O.T. and was tracking the storm, so he had a backup plan.

I am to go to Houston on Monday, weather permitting.

Bart

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Dear Robert

I feel your draft is very good. I talked to Waring Pickett at Connersville and his comment was that it was not right that a judge show & judge at the same show such as Columbus. He said what can we do about it. I feel what you propose is very good to start. But perhaps if a show allows such actions when it is in violation of our Bylaws then maybe they could not be awarded another meet for a number of years. This did happen at Columbus. Jeff & Harry Dalback and Henry Mager had birds in the show and also judged. I feel strongly about this policy and have not talked with anyone who thinks that a judge should show and judge at the same show.

I feel that as far as acceptable or unacceptable judges go that if one of the judges only has an ABA license that as long as they only judge Bantams that this should be allowed. It is a real shame the ABA & AFA could not combine toward one goal but we both know this will never happen.

I hope to attend Wapakoneta on 17+18 March looking forward to seeing you there. If I can be of any help please let me know.

Sincerely  
Shelly

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Subject: Re: UOC webpage & Poultry Connection

Date: February 16, 2001 12:42:35 PM EST

To: srobertpowell@juno.com [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

Robert,

I am sorry I didn't make myself more clear about the UOC web page and the poultry connection. The way I understand it now, we will still keep our UOC webpage on crosswinds and someone can occasionally update it onto the poultry connection. Some of the pages on there haven't been updated for a long time. It still gives the folks a chance to now we exist. If there is a charge I don't know about it. If I am wrong Please let me know. When my son in law first put us on the poultry connection I received a thank you message from someone and they didn't say any thing about a charge. If I can find it I will send you a copy. The last thing in the world we want is for you to give up on the crosswinds page. I know I do and I think the rest of the club appreciates what you do to keep the crosswinds page up. All I can say is thanks and keep up the good work.

I am planning on being at the APA National in November at Lincoln Nebraska and hope to see you there. I talked with Scott Adams, at the Ros show, about a Pulorum test for the birds I take and he said he would take care of it. I think he is on the Poultry Veterinary conference in Nebraska. Thanks for all you do. Warren

On Feb 16, 2001 12:59:53 -0500 (EST) srobert powell

<srobertpowell@juno.com> writes:

> 02-11-2001

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> Warren:

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> When I first got your message about the UOC webpage, I was under the impression that the page was going to be moved and managed through the

> "Poultry Connection" website.

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> Having looked at the "Poultry Connection" site, I now realize that what we

> have there is only a "link." That's good. No charge to be included in a list

> of poultry clubs. The management of the UOC site remains under the control

> of the UOC.

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> Given the large number of people who visit the "Poultry Connection" site, a

> lot more people will learn of the existence of our UOC webpage--which is

> great.

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> Robert



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**Date:** February 16, 2001 3:12:36 PM EST

**To:** [srobertpowell@juno.com](mailto:srobertpowell@juno.com) [Add to Address Book](#)

**CC:**

Hi Robert,

Just got the flyer you sent me in the mail. Beautiful job. The only thing that would need a change is the cutoff date for the art work to be in Fred's hands. We had extended the date to October 6 as it is a Saturday and more than likely people would be sending things even postmarked by that date.

Robert, you're doing a wonderful job (I know, not that you need/care/want my approval). I wish to express in the kindest of manners that whether you were chair of any committee or not this would be viewed as wonderful. Another words it would have been impressive and didn't need the inclusion of your status. I think those of us that are fellow board members know very well who sits at which chair of each committee. Perhaps just my southern up bringing but it just comes across as a tad bitchie. I'm sure that's not the way you mean to come across but it was also the way you came across with your "request" that I do the yearbook article. The mere rephrasing of "would you please" always softens anything one may be wanting someone else to do and more often than not receives compliance. Just a thought, again meant in the kindest of manners.

Since my last email (unanswered) I have found out more on the subject for which I had asked information. You may kindly ignore it.

Thank you

peter

oh, correct. I will not be in Ohio.

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Subject: Re: This and that.

Date: February 16, 2001 5:49:20 PM EST

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CC:

Robert,

I really don't mean to be a person that no one likes to deal with. I'm alittle paranoid these days sir. I'm sure I have not mentioned to you but I received direct word while showing in Richmond that I and my birds are now on the hit list with the chicken mafia (Columbus).

While it is laughable, some of it I don't take too lightly as I have had the horrible experience of having someone turning a great dane loose on my property with the direct intent of destroying my birds. Did about \$1,500 worth of killing and I could do nothing as I watched the dog trot down the road and hop into a van of people that I knew. I could only stand there and sob with one of my long favorites and champion birds(pets) dead in my hands. This was an arranged deal...

The District 12 District Meet I wrote so invitingly of in P Press is now a non-meet.

Being in the deep dark south (= southern stupid) sometimes people must find it hard to read. I had given it to one of only three shows in my entire district that offer all the things we award for. A non apa licensure judged the lf & btm ducks. Even after I had written an explicit letter explaining the "new" point offerings from the apa they didn't even bother to do any of that either. So now, Lorna has to write them a letter and more than likely they will opt to not be an associate member club. I have had to work very hard to increase the number of associate member clubs in my district - where the aba is king and the bird of america's redneck exists in the thousands (oegb)! I have yet to get the entire state of al to do any type of meet correctly. So, I've made the option to not assign anything past a club meet. Oh I meant to say what they always ask Lorna for a "special" meet.lololololol What else could one do?

Any way I apologize if my comment offended you. My column has generated 4 phone calls of congrats so far. No hate mail yet though. Can I hope? You take care and again, a beautiful job on the flyer - its nice to know someone else on the board can create things on the computer in the event I choose not to anymore.

Have fun

peter

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Subject: Article APA

Date: February 16, 2001 2:15:14 PM EST

To: srobertpowell@juno.com [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

Bob,

Nice going with the items to Pat Malone. The first one is a dozer, since all of the judges like to show and judge at Columbus and other shows. I like it and will take it to our meeting next week 2/20/01.

Also, about your APA pamphlet, is excellent. Then in January 2002, you will have to update it since the Art Contest is not needed, right. I do like it, and it has all of info for all. If you are going to use this, we would love to have a stack for our spring show in April 28-29. You did a excellent job with the flyer.

See you this spring.

Arlene

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Subject: Thank you

Date: February 23, 2001 1:28:33 PM EST

To: chickens1234@hotmail.com [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

Friday afternoon

Arlene:

Thanks for looking over the draft of the membership recruitment flyer. As soon as the APA approves what I have done, I (or the APA) will have lots of copies made and they will be available for distribution. Certainly they should be available for your spring show on April 28-29.

The Directors' meeting at Wapakoneta, OH on March 16th should be a lively event. The Columbus people can not disregard the APA's by-laws and get away with it. If you and I and everyone else has to follow the by-laws, the Columbus group will also have to comply with the by-laws.

See you soon.

Robert



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**February 24**---Prairie Hatchers 4-H Carrying cage show---9am till 1 pm Clark County Fairgrounds, Vancouver. Contact Melissa Helmandollar 360 687 1263.

**February 24th**---Chick Auction---Clark County Fairgrounds--2PM Vancouver. Sponsored by PNPA Contact Dave Owen 360 254 5223, Ed Best 503 730 2041.

**March 17**---Cascade Spring Poultry Show Evergreen State Fairgrounds, Monroe, Wa. Lucinda Van Valkenburg 360-435-5051

**March 31**-----Blue Coats Carrying cage show--Adams County Fairgrounds--Othello (Moses Lake) 8-2PM

PNPA Eastside Chick Auction 2Pm Adams County Fairgrounds March 31st.

As the egg rolls-----

Like the schedule says on the other side of the page, lots of good things are going to happen.

Although the Carrying cages shows are for the kids, as adult hobbyists we should be active and come out and cheer the young ones on. Never know, you may learn something, heaven forbid.

The Hatchers have been working very hard to put on an even better show than last year. If you missed the first two then this one you have to make. Lots of money specials, trophies, seminars, books and information, plus we always have great times.

The Blue Coats in Eastern Washington are an enthusiastic bunch and have some great plans for the last weekend in March for us too. So put the date on your calendar.

We need some donations of chicks and grown birds for both of the auctions. Support your club by donating and then trying a new breed from those available. The money is going to buy equipment for the shows and we have to have more plywood and stands for the fall show.

From the figures given out by Nona in reference to how much we lost on the fall show, we desperately need more supplies so it will cost of less and we need the support of all our members, not only in entries and cash. muscle help is needed too..

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To: [Bob Powell <srobertpowell@juno.com>](mailto:Bob Powell <srobertpowell@juno.com>) [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

The judges are hired:  
 Dick Greubel, PA  
 Mike Waski, MD  
 Brian Knox, NH

I have gotten quite a few meet as a result of the mailing I did....what's the status on a mailing to the club members regarding specials? I anticipate work getting extremely busy - we are redoing an entire floor and as office manager you know who gets to coordinate (and that means everything short of using a hammer)! So I want to keep the show catalog moving - I want to mail no later than April 1st!

Thanks - TA TA - Karen

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Subject: CPAC update

Date: February 21, 2001 1:59:03 PM EST

To: [Karen Porr <kwp@jsdlegal.com>](mailto:Karen Porr <kwp@jsdlegal.com>) [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

February 21

Karen:

You (and everyone else in the club) have probably received the February issue (dated 02-14-01, but not mailed until 02-17-01) of the CPAC "Newsletter" by now. A "specials" form was enclosed in every issue that was mailed (120 copies). Also, I sent a 2 X 3 space ad to Bill Wulff for the March issue of "Poultry Press."

We'll have an ad in the April issue, as well, but I thought I would hold off on the exact copy for the ad for a couple more weeks. We'll list the three judges that have been hired in the April ad.

Before I sent the ad to Bill Wulff, I phoned Carl to make sure that we were having a spring auction. I must say that I am disappointed that Carl is not providing very much leadership for the club at present.

If it weren't for you and me, the CPAC would fall apart at the seams very quickly.

I will send you some specials in a couple weeks.

SRP

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Subject: This and that.

Date: February 16, 2001 4:38:38 PM EST

To: pmerlin@juno.com [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

February 16

Peter:

Thanks for your e-mail messages.

Heaven help me. I was just trying to be cheerful/friendly/clear/amusing when I mentioned the committee membership thing in recent e-mails about articles for the "Yearbook" and the membership recruitment flyer. Please accept my apologies if my intentions got distorted by my choice of words.

I will change the deadline date for the 2001 art contest on the draft of the membership recruitment flyer to October 6.

Pat has said nothing specific to me about the judges showing and judging issue at last fall's Columbus show. He did mention, a month or two ago, that he was going to write the officers of the Columbus club about the question. But I have heard nothing specific since then. I appreciate your update on the question.

Thank you.

Robert







CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA AVIAN CLUB - (1) CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA AVIAN CLUB HARRIS AND TODD LEHMAN, POULTRY SUPERINTENDENTS AT THE BLOOMSBURG FAIR (2) ARTIE COSNER,



HIS DAD AND BEN BENSINGER HAVE A GOOD LAUGH (3) SHOW SECRETARY KAREN PORR (4) CURTIS JACKES AND C. DARREL SHERAW (S ROBERT POWELL PHOTOS)





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**BLOOMSBURG  
FALL SHOW**  
By S. Robert Powell

Central Pennsylvania is a beautiful part of the country, and never more so than in October, when the gentle rolling hills and wide river valleys are resplendent with the colors of autumn. Such a setting is the perfect context for the Central Pennsylvania Avian Club's annual fall show.

This year's show, which took place on October 15, was judged by Rick Hare, Paul Kroil, and the Rev. Roland Romig, all of whom did an excellent job of judging the birds.

The poultry building on the Bloomsburg fairgrounds, with its wide aisles and abundant natural daylight, is among the best show halls anywhere, and it can easily accommodate several thousand birds, all shown to their best advantage.

The show secretary was Karen Porr, whose excellent organizational skills made for a very smooth running show, and whose finely tuned artistic eye were everywhere apparent in the entrance area, on champions' row, and in the Chinese auction display. The

chicken-shaped bells, mounted on wooden panels, and the rosettes that were awarded to the big winners of the show were much admired by everyone.

The food stand, under the careful direction of Phil Malencore, was a popular spot all day long during the auction and show, and the donated homemade baked goods, soups, stews, and sandwiches available there were a big hit with everyone.

Bob Simons, Bob Anke, and Artie Cosner were the three winners of the 50/50 raffle, which was conducted under the direction of Carl Harris, whose volubility and fundamental charm are legendary in central Pennsylvania.

On the day before the show, at the west end of the poultry building, the CPAC conducted a live bird auction, during which several thousand exhibition birds and a broad range of poultry-related items were sold. The Rev. Roland Romig and his family, assisted by a multitude of club members, volunteers, and friends, conducted the highly successful day-long auction.

Tom Kernan (champion standard on a Black Sumatra hen), Rick Porr (champion bantam on a White Crested Black Polish pullet), Dr. C. D.

Sheraw and sons (champion waterfowl on a Rouen old drake), and Vanessa Koedatich (champion junior on a Buff Brahma pullet) were the big winners in the show.

The exhibitors of the reserve champion birds were William Bacon (reserve standard, Black Australorp pullet), Norman Hughes (reserve bantam, Black Rosecomb pullet), Curtis Oakes (reserve waterfowl, Brown Chinese old gander), and Artie Cosner (reserve junior, S. C. Light Brown Leghorn pullet).

The club, which was established in 1974 to promote all species of exhibition poultry, pigeons, game, and cage birds, was very pleased to welcome into membership four new members in the course of the weekend: Sharon Lassell (Saylorsburg, PA), Tom Lipiec (Edmeston, NY), Kenny Merrill (Glen Rock, PA), and William L. Musser (Waynesboro, PA).

The big discovery of the weekend for many club members and friends was Magee's Main Street Inn (formerly the Magee Hotel) in Bloomsburg. For generations, this hotel has enjoyed an excellent regional reputation as a very nice hotel-and it continues to be exactly that. It looks and feels like a

downtown hotel. The prices are comparable to those at the cluster of motels at the edge of town. Staying at the Magee is a great pleasure.

Here are the class champions: American, Sam Zaffuto on an a White Wyandotte hen; Asiatic, Basil Smith on a Blue Cochin pullet; English, William Bacon on a Black Australorp pullet; Mediterranean, Artie Cosner on a S. C. Light Brown Leghorn pullet; Continental, William Bacon on a Bearded White Polish hen; AOSB, Tom Kernan on a Black Sumatra hen.

Old English and American Game, Ben Bensinger on a Black Old English pullet; Modern Game, Tony Landis on a Birchen pullet; AOCCL, Rick Porr on a White Crested Black Polish pullet; Feather Legged, Vanessa Koedatich on a Buff Brahma pullet; SCCL, Richard Hickman on a Blue Rosecomb pullet.

Heavy Duck, Dr. C. D. Sheraw and Sons on a Rouen old drake; Medium Duck, William Sandoe on a Black Cayuga old drake; Light Duck, Curtis Oakes on a Khaki Campbell young drake; Bantam Duck, Dr. C. D. Sheraw and Sons on a White Call old drake.

Heavy Goose, William Sandoe on an African old goose; Light Goose, Curtis Oakes on a Brown Chinese old gander; Guinea Fowl, Tom Kernan on a Slate hen; Turkey, Karen King on a Narragansett

young tom.

Here are the reserve champions: American, Don Emery on a Buff Rock cockerel; Asiatic, Basil Smith on a Blue Cochin pullet; English, William Bacon on a Buff Orpington pullet; Mediterranean, Bob Anke on a S. C. Light Brown Leghorn pullet; AOSB, Tom Kernan on a Black Sumatra cock.

Old English and American Game, Ben Bensinger on a Blue Old English cockerel; AOCCL, Tom Kernan on a Black Sumatra hen; Feather Legged, Vanessa Koedatich on a Buff Brahma cockerel; SCCL, Richard Hickman on a Columbian Rock pullet; RCCL, Norman Hughes on a Blue Rosecomb pullet.

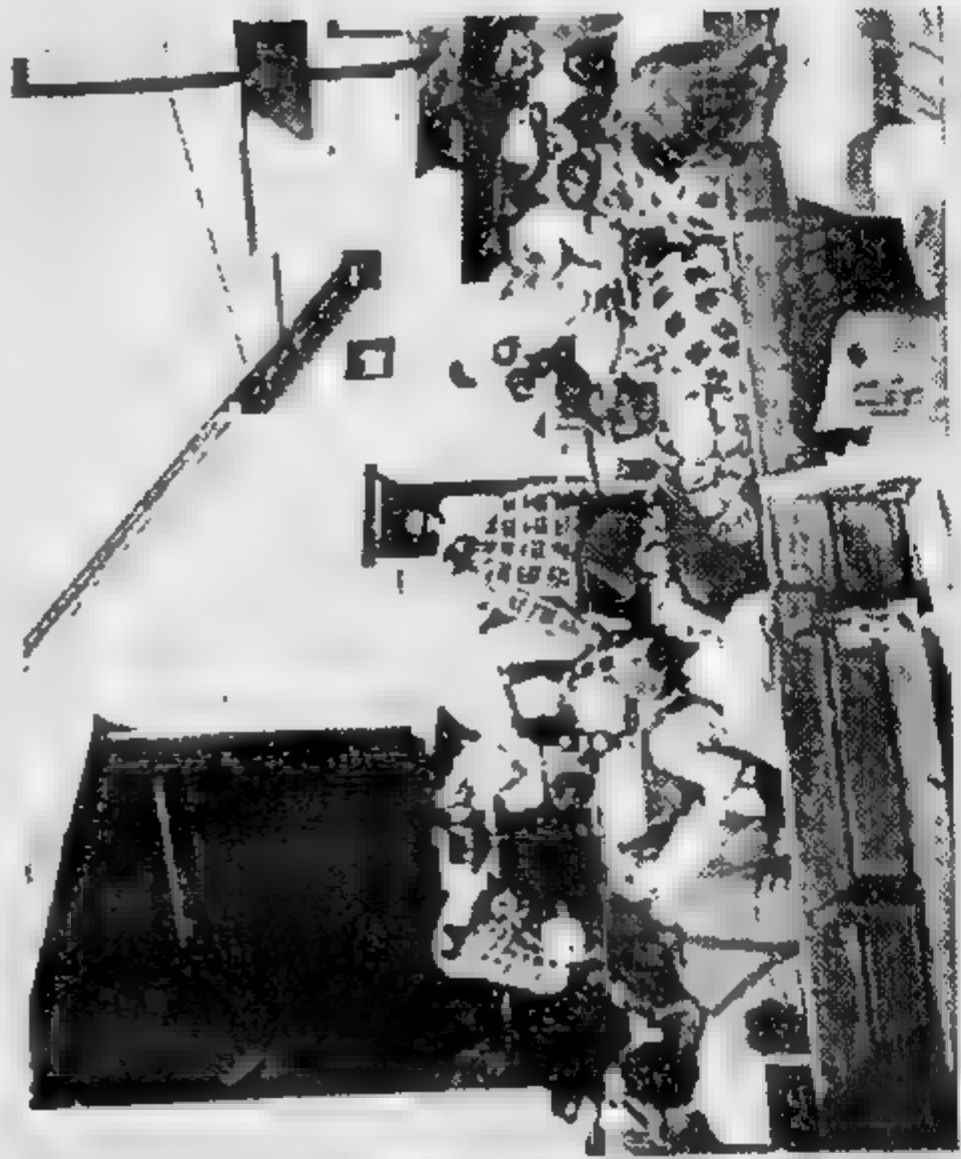
Heavy Duck, Curtis Oakes on a White Pekin old duck; Medium Duck, Curtis Oakes on a Black Cayuga young duck; Light Duck, Curtis Oakes on a White Runner old duck; Bantam, Dr. C. D. Sheraw and Sons, on a Grey Call old duck.

Heavy Goose, William Sandoe on a Toulouse old goose; Light Goose, Curtis Oakes on a Brown Chinese old gander; Guinea Fowl, Tom Kernan on a Royal Purple hen; Turkey, Karen King on a Narragansett young hen.

Friendly people, quality birds, first-class judges, and beautiful October weather: it was a very nice poultry weekend.

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CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA AVIAN CLUB - (1) RICK PORR AND RICHARD HICKMAN WATCH THE JUDGING (2) THE CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA AVIAN CLUB LIVE BIRD AUCTION ON SATURDAY (S. ROBERT POWELL PHOTOS)

**CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA AVIAN CLUB  
BLOOMSBURG, PENNSYLVANIA**

**MAY 7, 2000**

**Reserve Champion Bantam  
Bearded White Silkie hen**

Always a great weekend at a well run show at Bloomsburg, PA

**Carl W. Pannicke**

666 Grove Street Clifton, NJ 07013

# Central Pennsylvania Avian Club

Bloomsburg, PA October 15, 2000



- Friendly people
- Quality Birds
- First-class judges: Rick Hare, Paul Kroll,  
and the Rev. Roland Romig
- Beautiful October day



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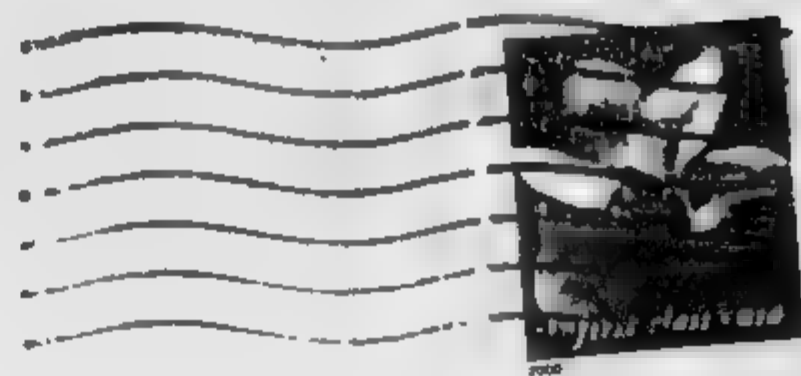
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Mr. Robert Powell  
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Thank you Robert.

We hope you are  
staying well this  
winter.

See you in June.

Della Stern

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**From:** Evy <eravery@stny.rr.com> [Add to Address Book](#) [Show brief headers](#) | [Show all headers](#)  
**Subject:** Re: Quack, quack, quack.  
**Date:** February 16, 2001 7:57:45 PM EST  
**To:** s robert powell <srobertpowell@juno.com> [Add to Address Book](#)  
**CC:**

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**From:** s robert powell <srobertpowell@juno.com>  
**To:** Evy <eravery@stny.rr.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, February 16, 2001 1:02 PM  
**Subject:** Quack, quack, quack.

> Friday, February 16  
 >  
 > Evy:  
 >  
 > Thanks for the copy of your letter to Pat.  
 >  
 > Please be assured that I am not at all annoyed at you on this matter of  
 > "land" fowl and "water" fowl and bantam ducks and the APA and your  
 > membership in the organization. On the contrary, I think you are to be  
 > commended for your honesty and forthrightness.  
 >  
 > I have been trying to read all the published opinions on the question of  
 > land fowl/waterfowl/bantam ducks (all those letters in "Poultry Press" a few  
 > years ago) and plan to bring up the question at the Directors' meeting at  
 > Wapakoneta, OH on March 16th. When exactly did that come into being? It sort of snuck up on me,  
 so to speak. A few years ago I won Res. Ch. Bantam at Boston. There were some unhappy people & the  
 following year I was informed that there would be no Ch. Waterfowl any more. It stops at Best Duck &  
 Goose. That really runs the waterfowl into a wall. That's when we quit going to Boston. I'm afraid they are  
 going to try to resind the waterfowl participation altogether before long. Several clubs are already moving  
 them to the outskirts of the show & not because of space considerations. I hate to complain too loudly &  
 get a reputation as a troublemaker but....That's what we elected YOU for, right??? (Was it in the job  
 description?)  
 >  
 > I'm also very pleased to see that you brought up in your letter to Pat  
 > Malone the questionable behavior of Forrest Beauford with regard to the Call  
 > duck at the ABA national at Claremore. Do you think Pat's a friend of his? Somehow I don't see it & in  
 that case, I don't care. I'd say the same thing to his mother. I haven't heard from Pat yet. I think he's  
 receptive to comments though.  
 >  
 > Spring is near. Warm up the incubator. I'd be interested in seeing what your research comes up with.  
 As V.P. of the IWBA, I might use some of it in the newsletter.  
 Promise me that spring is really coming. Maybe that's why I'm crank'y...cabin fever.  
 Take care'  
 Evy  
 >  
 > Best regards,  
 >  
 > Robert



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From: [dyeaw <dyeaw@home.com>](mailto:dyeaw@dyeaw@home.com) [Add to Address Book](#)

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Subject: pamphlet for apa

Date: February 18, 2001 8:05:09 PM EST

To: [srobertpowell@juno.com](mailto:srobertpowell@juno.com) [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

Hi Robert

My email address is [dyeaw@home.com](mailto:dyeaw@home.com) that is the only change, that I see should be made. The pamphlet that you have put together looks real good. Thanks for your offer for Ohio, but I don't know what I am doing yet.

see you soon

Jerry

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From: SAMUEL BRUSH <apanetcontact@home.com> [Add to Address Book](#) [Show brief headers](#) | [Show all headers](#)

Subject: Re: APA meet

Date: February 19, 2001 7:43:32 AM EST

To: PBK8135@aol.com [Add to Address Book](#)

To: srobertpowell@juno.com [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

Morning Barbara,

If your club's associate APA membership is paid up, then you would be eligible for a club meet, and that information plus a show report would be sent with your renewal membership card by the APA Secretary. Therefore, the first thing you need to determine is the status of the membership. It will either have an expiration date in January or July. If you are interested in pursuing either a State Meet or higher, you need to contact District 2 Director S. Robert Powell, and he can let you know the details about those types of meets. I would think that the higher levels of meets have already been assigned, but you can check. I'm copying this response to Mr. Powell as well, so he will know about it.

If the Buffalo and Western NY Poultry Association is "sponsoring" both the spring show and the Fair, they would both be covered under the Buffalo & Western Associate Membership. I seem to recall that at one time the Fair had been an associate member of the APA by itself.

Best wishes for successful shows

Sam Brush  
APA Internet Contact

PBK8135@aol.com wrote:

I looking for the right e-mail address for requesting meets. The Buffalo and western NY poultry assoc. is having it's annual spring show May 20 2001 In Hamburg NY.

Also I would like to request on for Aug 15-19 2001 for our County fair show sponsored by our Club, another APA meet.

Sincerely,

Barbara Clarkson

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**From:** William Roe <wmjmroe@epix.net> [Add to Address Book](#) [Show brief headers](#) | [Show all headers](#)  
**Subject:** guineas  
**Date:** February 20, 2001 6:57:40 PM EST  
**To:** srobertpowell@juno.com [Add to Address Book](#)  
**CC:**

Message status: Replied

Hi Do you know anyone that might have vultrine guineas? I have never heard of them but I have a friend that is looking for them. I see your article in the newsletter and thought that you might know of them. Thanks Bill Roe

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**From:** s robert powell <srobertpowell@juno.com> [Add to Address Book](#) [Show brief headers](#) | [Show all headers](#)  
**Subject:** RE: guineas  
**Date:** February 26, 2001 12:26:40 PM EST  
**To:** William Roe <wmjmroe@epix.net> [Add to Address Book](#)  
**CC:**

February 26

Bill:

I've heard of them, but I've never seen one or knew of anyone who had them.

I'll ask the question at the guinea fowl meeting at the APA semiannual meeting at Wapakoneta, OH on March 17, and I'll let you know what I find out.

Robert

*Vultrine Guinea Fowl*



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Subject: CPAC ad for 3/01 PP; request to borrow copies of PP

Date: February 21, 2001 12:23:16 PM EST

To: poultryp@si-net.com [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

Wednesday, February 21

Bill:

I received today a reminder from "Poultry Press" to begin advertising the CPAC spring show.

A couple of weeks ago I did send a CPAC ad (2 columns by 3 inches, as I recall) for the CPAC show in May 2001. I sent in the ad via e-mail and I'm hoping that you have received it and that it will be run in the March 2001 issue of "Poultry Press."

I can't seem to put my hands on a copy of the ad that I sent in, but here is the information for the ad:

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Spring Auction, May 5, 10 A.M.  
Rev. Roland Romig, Auctioneer

Spring Show, May 6  
Karen Porr, Show Secretary

Central Pennsylvania Avian Club  
Bloomsburg, PA

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Also, in my e-mail request to you of 02-12-01 to borrow fifteen back issues of "Poultry Press" from your archives, there is a typo in the listing of one of the items (the seventh item in my list):

Here is how the seventh item should read:

Volume XXXVIII, No. 9 (early March 1952)

Thanks.

S. Robert

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From: [s robert powell <srbertpowell@juno.com>](#) [Add to Address Book](#) [Show brief headers](#) | [Show all headers](#)

Subject: Martha/poultryshows/muscovies

Date: February 22, 2001 4:01:16 PM EST

To: [mdw7@psu.edu](#) [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

Thursday, February 21

Mark:

MARTHA STEWART

Tomorrow, at lunch, I will ask Martha if she would be interested in helping your colleague on her book. . .

In the meantime, my contact for the entire poultry show/Martha Stewart visit was Susan Varga, Martha Stewart Living, 10 Saugatuck Avenue, Westport, CT 06880. I imagine that Susan is still a viable contact person, but maybe not. It's worth a try.

UPCOMING SHOWS

Here are the shows that I know I will attend in the next several months:

APA semiannual, Wapakoneta, OH, March 16-18

Delmarva, April 8

Sussex, April 28-29

CPAC, May 5-6

Central Maine, May 27

Finger Lakes, June 3

If you want to go to any or all of these shows with me, I would be pleased to have you go along.

MUSCOVIES

I don't know what to say to that Frenchman and his muscovy request. Perhaps it would be best if you forwarded his request to the secretary of the Muscovy club.

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From: s robert powell <[srobertpowell@juno.com](mailto:srobertpowell@juno.com)> [Add to Address Book](#) [Show brief headers](#) | [Show all headers](#)

Subject: Thank you

Date: February 22, 2001 4:16:25 PM EST

To: Roger Davis <[dovecote101@netzero.net](mailto:dovecote101@netzero.net)> [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

February 21

Roger:

Thanks for your comments on the APA membership recruitment flyer.

I've looked high and low and can not find out the specifics on "Show Bird Journal." Do you know the address of the magazine? Also the cost of subscriptions? Is the editor Sheila Clanton?

I got an e-mail from a Stanley Fernald: [trapperbuck@webtv.net](mailto:trapperbuck@webtv.net)

I have the feeling that Stanley is a kid, maybe not. He lives in Utica and is very anxious to become affiliated with several poultry clubs (which is probably not a good idea). He is a member of the FLFC and was not able to make the January meeting.

Right now, I can't seem to visualize where Utica is. Is the FLFC his nearest poultry club? If not, maybe you can put him in touch with the club that he should be a member of: Eastern New York, Rochester, Northern New York???

He should also be a member of the APA. He can join on-line at [www.amptya.com](http://www.amptya.com)

Hope that the tendonitis (or whatever it is) is now under control/gone away.

Robert



2/22/01

Paul -

One of my poultry buddies

down here is interested

in getting started with

some standard old

English Games -

B. B. Red or Brown Red.

Any possibility that

you might have

any adult birds

or eggs available?

Mark Burne  
882 Rock Street  
Archbald, PA 18403  
↑ 570-876-2858

ARCHBALD

Maybe you know  
Mark? He used to  
be the Secretary-Treas.  
of the CPAC.

Hope all is well  
up north.

Robert

S. Robert Powell  
R.D. #1, Box 40  
Carbondale, PA 18407-9706

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**2001 A.P.A. SEMI ANNUAL CONVENTION**  
**Agenda – Officer's and Director's Meeting**  
**Best Western Motel – Wapakoneta, Ohio**  
**Friday, March 16<sup>th</sup>, 2001, 7:00 p.m.**

Meeting called to order – Pat Malone

Prayer – Nona Shearer

Welcome – District #3 Director, Lewis Cunningham

Minutes from the 2000 Annual Meeting in Woodstock, Ontario, October 20<sup>th</sup>, 2000

Bids for 2003 Semi Annual (from Group #2 – Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Michigan, Mississippi, North Carolina, Ontario Canada, South Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia, Wisconsin)

Correspondence

**REPORTS:**

Secretary and Treasurer Reports – Lorna Rhodes

Judge License Committee – Ernie Durb

Standard of Perfection Committee – Sam Brush

SRP → Yearbook Committee – Lorna Rhodes & Robert Powell

APA/ABA Joint Youth Committee – Mike & Janet Miller

Membership Committee – Robert Powell

Other committee reports as needed – Constitution & By-Laws, Internet, Art Competition, Property Preservation, Show Awards, ETL Investment, Legislative, Show Awards, Standard Unification, Finance Ways & Means

**OLD BUSINESS:**

Proposal that the Legislative Committee be a permanent APA Committee – Sam Brush

Possible APA involvement with NP/P (Sam Brush to investigate)

Other

**NEW BUSINESS**

Commercial ads in NEWS & VIEWS (see enclosed e-mail exchange)

Old APA minutes/records to National Agricultural Library in Beltsville, MD – Vi Halbach

Showing borrowed birds – Nona Shearer

November, 2000 Ohio National Show – were judges allowed to show in violation of By-law

SRP → ARTICLE VII, Section 3, paragraph f? – Robert Powell (see enclosed notes and correspondence)

Acceptable and unacceptable judges – Robert Powell (see enclosed notes)

Should the APA draft a "letter of support" for use by an individual who is encountering difficulty raising birds because of zoning regulations or ordinances? – Robert Powell (see enclosed notes)

Guidelines and procedures for poultry clubs interested in hosting annual or semi annual meets – Robert Powell (see enclosed notes)

→ Should the APA draft a "letter of support" (also guidelines and procedures) for use by an exhibition breeder encountering difficulties from animal rights groups? – Robert Powell (see enclosed notes)

Any other items to come before the board (give to the chairman in writing at the beginning of the meeting)

NOTE: Our extended board meeting will be Saturday following the general membership meeting.

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From: [Evy <eravery@stny.rr.com>](#) [Add to Address Book](#)

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Subject: Fw: APA

Date: February 22, 2001 1:35:37 PM EST

To: [s robert powell <srobertpowell@juno.com>](#) [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

Had a nice response from Pat that I'm forwarding to you. It sounds like the APA is in good hands if the two of you & a few more keep up the fight.

----- Original Message -----

From: [Pat Malone](#)

To: [Evy](#)

Sent: Thursday, February 22, 2001 7:14 AM

Subject: Re: APA

Dear Evy,

Many thanks for your e-mail of February 15th. I have been out of town so am just now getting around to answering recent communications received. Always glad to hear from our members, especially when I know that they are dedicated breeders like yourself.

The Ohio National last November is on our board meeting agenda for next month at Wapakoneta. Your feelings/opinions are very representative of the e-mails, letters, and phone calls that I am getting. I hope we can get the situation resolved or else the joint national in 2002 is in great jeopardy.

Concerning the new "landfowl" award you have the wrong idea. This in no way discriminates against bantam ducks or any other waterfowl. The opposite has been true. Bantam chickens etc. were discriminated against because they had no award like Champion Waterfowl to compete for. Champion Land Fowl is exactly the same as Champion Waterfowl. The champion standard chicken, bantam chicken, and turkey compete for Champion Landfowl. The champion standard duck, bantam duck, and goose compete for Champion Waterfowl. So the two awards are exactly the same. Then, Champion Landfowl and Champion Waterfowl compete for Show Champion. What could be more fair???? There is certainly no discrimination against bantam ducks.

Concerning Forrest Beauford and what happened at Claremore, what can I say. I will do everything in my power to see that he never gets another national meet of any kind. What he did to that youngster is beyond belief. But that is Forrest. He is his own worst enemy. There is Forrest's way or the highway, and he will not listen to any reason.

Well, better close for now and answer some other nice folks. Again, many thanks for taking time to make your feelings known. Always glad to hear from you!

With peace and blessings,

Pat Malone

Evy wrote:



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Hi Pat, Hope you're 'wintering well'. From what I hear from my Texas relatives, you've had a strange year weatherwise. Hope it improves with spring. I just wanted to put in my two cents worth on the "judges showing" matter. First, I think the rules against it should be extended to cover "family" if it isn't already. No matter how honest a person may be, it just doesn't look right. I know from personal observation that the people that abuse it the most are also extremely dishonest. Since it does no good to complain, I just don't show under them. I'll miss Columbus. Secondly, I and a growing number of waterfowl breeders resent the way the APA has effectively buried the waterfowl with their "landfowl" rule, especially where the bantam ducks are concerned. They are in the Standard & have every right to be given the same consideration that every other type of bird is given. I'm afraid Bob Powell is annoyed with me, but I told him I probably won't renew my membership this year unless some improvements are made. What's the point of belonging to an organization that doesn't even acknowledge you? The way some (ie. Forrest Bueford) have treated the bantam ducks is unforgivable. I'm sure you are aware of his treatment of the ABA winner of the Jr. class at the Claremore show. He's tried the same thing with a few adults, too. I'll get off my soapbox. I just wanted to get something on the record. Thanks for voting on the "right side". I don't know if Clell & his cronies can ever be contained but they can be boycotted.

Thanks for listening.

Hope your hatching season is a great success.

Sincerely,  
Avery

Evvy

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From: Jay16002@aol.com [Add to Address Book](#)

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Subject: Re: Westmoreland show

Date: February 21, 2001 1:48:05 PM EST

To: srobertpowell@juno.com [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

Message status: Replied

Hi this is Jay Yobst. The meet we need from you is the Orpington meet if you can send it to me at 113 Blakely Rd Butler Pa 16002 and my phone no is 724 352-4259 thank you hope to here from you soon.

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From: s robert powell <srobertpowell@juno.com> [Add to Address Book](#)

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Subject: Re: Westmoreland show

Date: February 26, 2001 4:42:15 PM EST

To: Jay16002@aol.com [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

February 26, 2001

Jay:

Yes, you may have a "special" meet of the United Orpington Club at the Westmoreland show.

I will send you the appropriate paperwork tomorrow by surface mail. I will include a membership list for the UOC so that you may send a copy of your show catalogue, when available, to all UOC members in this UOC district.

Sincerely,

S. Robert Powell  
UOC District 2 Director

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**From:** Lynn Stiles <dstiles@epix.net> [Add to Address Book](#)

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**Subject:** poultry

**Date:** February 22, 2001 3:43:50 PM EST

**To:** [srobertpowell@juno.com](mailto:srobertpowell@juno.com) [Add to Address Book](#)

**CC:**

All is set for Saturday. I don't know how many we will have, but a couple of adults have expressed interest in getting your opinion about their birds. So we will have a few anyway. Bob Simons is in the hospital with heart problems so his kids may not come because of that. No matter who shows, we should have a good time. I have the road-kill collected for lunch, so bring your appetite. Weather won't be a problem. My garage is heated and we can also use a room downstairs if needed. Let me know if there is anything special you need. Ron



# Plymouth rocks rule the roost.

February 23, 2001

Dear Shelby,

Thanks for looking over the draft of the APA membership recruitment flyer. At the APA Directors' meeting on March 16, I will show the draft to my colleagues for their comments and review.

I also appreciate your comments on the showing and judging issue. I haven't talked to anyone, anywhere, who thinks a judge should be allowed to judge and show at the same show. The APA cannot allow the Columbus club to flagrantly violate the APA's by-laws and get away with it. I'm not going to give an inch on this issue—which, I'm sure, will put me very high on Clell Agler's hit list. But I don't care. I was elected to uphold the by-laws of the organization, and that's exactly what I'm going to do.

It's been a very good hatching season for me. I've got about 125 standard Partridge and Silver-Penciled Rock chicks and am just about ready to stop saving eggs. I can hardly wait for the snow and ice to go away so that I can get these young birds outside.

I'm looking forward to the APA semiannual at Wapakoneta. George Schroeder (to whom the APA will present an honor/lifetime achievement award at the meeting on Saturday, March 17) will ride out to Ohio with me. Maybe Jerry Yeaw will also ride out with us.

That will be in three weeks. And then three weeks after Wapakoneta, it's Delmarva.

Best regards,

Robert

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Barbara:

The APA "state" meet for New York for 2001 has been assigned to the Northern New York Poultry Fanciers Association show. The APA "district" meet for 2001 has been assigned to the Delmarva Poultry Fanciers' Association show.

If the Buffalo and Western New York Poultry Association's membership is paid up, your club is eligible for a "club" meet at your show on May 20, 2001. The appropriate paperwork has or will be sent to you with your membership card by the APA secretary (Lorna Rhodes), whose e-mail address is [lrhodes@lightband.com](mailto:lrhodes@lightband.com)

Is your county fair an associate member of the APA? If not, it will have to become one in order to host a "club" meet at your county fair on August 15-19, 2001.

The Buffalo and Western New York show is always nice and I look forward to this year's show.

Sincerely,

S. Robert Powell  
APA District 2 Director

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Ken:

Thanks for the copy of the February 2001 "The Feather Merchant." Looks like there's lots going on in the poultry world in the northwest.

Thanks, also, for your positive comments on my column in the Winter 2001 "News and Views." I try to give the reader something to read.

Glad to know that you have survived your recent trip into the wilderness to judge poultry.

The APA semiannual at Wapakoneta, OH on March 16-18 should be a lively event--mostly because of the fact that the Columbus show appears to be uninterested in adhering to the by-laws of the APA (two or three judges at their show last November also showed birds in the same show). Such shenanigans have to stop.

I was pleased to see that the third item under New Business on the agenda for the Directors' meeting at Wapakoneta is "Showing borrowed birds -- Nona Shearer."

Robert



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Date: February 23, 2001 3:14:13 PM EST

To: Sue Boose <[cecil3@gte.net](mailto:cecil3@gte.net)> Add to Address Book

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Sue:

APA:

We are pleased to learn that the York County Poultry Fanciers' Association is interested in hosting an APA meet. This year's APA meet at the York show will be a "club" meet, as the APA Pennsylvania "state" and "District 2" meets for 2001 have already been assigned. The appropriate paperwork has been or will be sent to you with your membership card by the APA secretary (Lorna Rhodes), whose e-mail address is [lrhodes@lightband.com](mailto:lrhodes@lightband.com)

UOC:

The United Orpington Club is pleased to learn that the York County Poultry Fanciers' Association is interested in hosting a UOC meet. This year's UOC meet at the York show will be a "special" meet. By surface mail, I will send you a UOC show report form and a copy of the complete UOC membership list so that you may send copies of your show catalogue, when available, to all UOC members in District 2 (NY, NJ, PA, MD, DE, DC).

Best wishes for a successful show this coming October 27-28.

Sincerely,

S. Robert Powell  
APA District 2 Director  
UOC District 2 Director

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# Poultry Seminar

Feb. 24

10:00 am - 1:00 pm

(Lunch will be served)

Stiles Residence

Guest Speaker:

**S. Robert Powell**

*building at Harford in about 20 years.*  
District 2 APA Director  
Licensed APA Judge

Topics: Introduction to the American Poultry Association  
Judging session with your poultry (bring one with you)  
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Preparation for Show (R. Stiles)

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FEB. 24

10:00 A.M. - 1:00 P.M.

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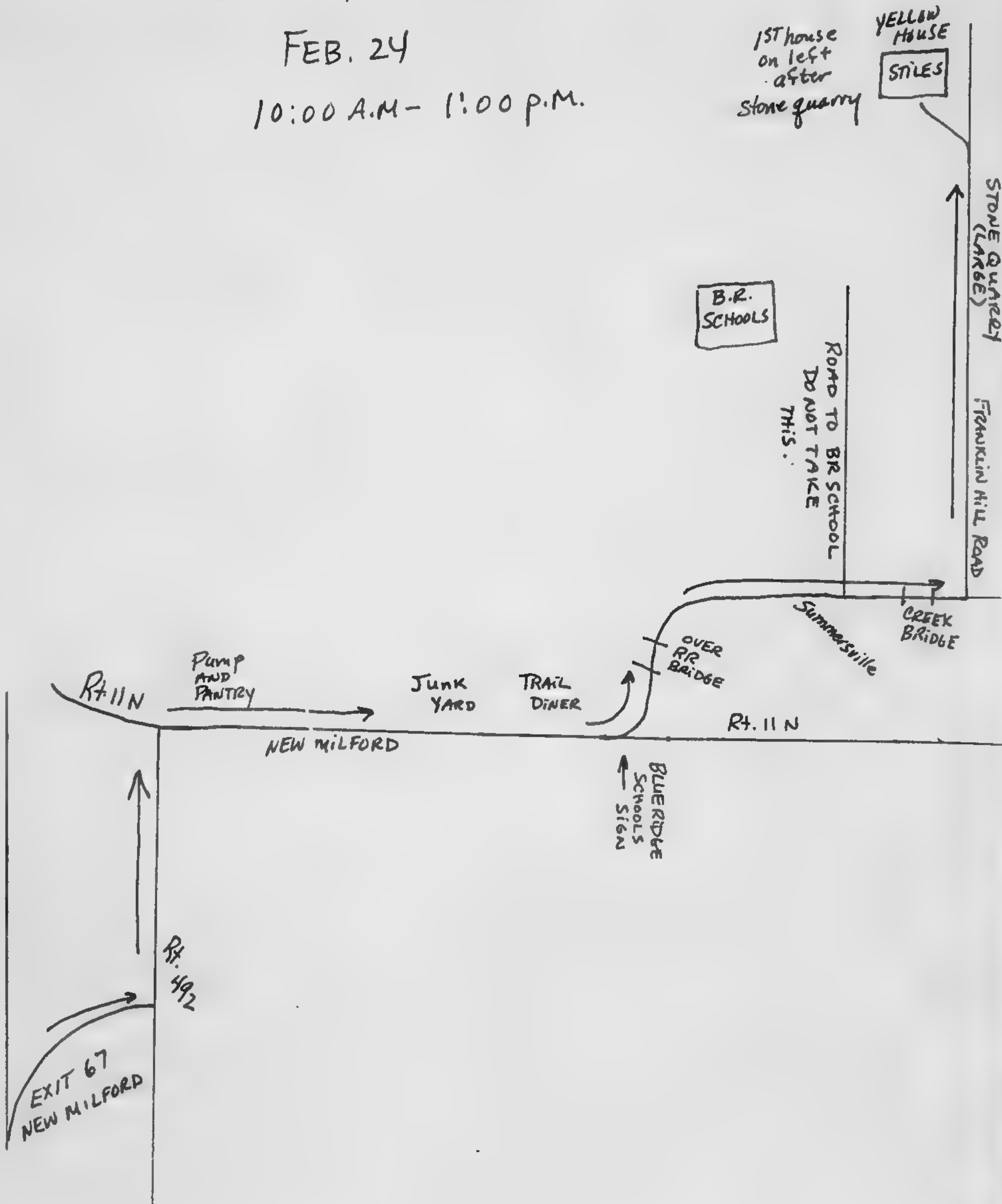
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To: [Rico Sebastianelli <ricoseb@oanet.com>](#) [Add to Address Book](#)  
CC: [apa@netins.net](#) [Add to Address Book](#)  
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Rico and Bart:

Evy Avery and I continue to discuss the question of the APA and waterfowl.

In her e-mail to me of 02-16-01 she states: "... I was informed that there would be no Ch. Waterfowl any more. It stops at Best Duck & Goose. That really runs the waterfowl into a wall. That's when we quit going to Boston. I'm afraid that they are going to try to rescind the waterfowl participation altogether before long. Several clubs are already moving them to the outskirts of the show & not because of space considerations. . ."

No champion waterfowl? Have I missed something? Have I been asleep or unconscious for a few years? As I read the show report form there are points given for both Grand and Reserve Champion Waterfowl.

If Evy Avery misunderstands the APA awards/points system, there must be lots of other waterfowl people out there who also have a distorted understanding of what's what.

Maybe there's a need for a brief article in the poultry media for another re-statement of the APA's points/awards system? It troubles me when I hear (from people who should know better) that "the APA is antiwaterfowl."

Robert

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Robert, I got the mock-up of the flyer - looks pretty good, and I have the following suggestions:

1. On the Membership Form portion, I'd suggest you adjust the format so that "address" has much more room, and perhaps shorten the State/Province space.
2. On the Membership Information panel, I think it would be desirable to somehow incorporate information regarding foreign memberships. Also, in the last annotation at the bottom (marked by the asterisk) I would suggest that the last phrase read "these memberships include eligibility to earn points in the Master Exhibitor's program." When I first read it, it sounded like having a membership automatically earned one points, which isn't exactly the case.
3. On the officers and directors panels, I would suggest we see if we can somehow squeeze information in on what states/provinces each director covers. Someone reading the brochure may want to figure out who their director is.
4. Pat Malone's correct new email address is prchurch@flash.net.
5. John Monaco does have an email - john@poultryshow.com I believe, but you need to check.
6. Jerry Yeaw has a new email address - dyeaw@home.com
7. Under poultry periodicals, you may create bad feelings by not including Showbird Journal.

That's all for now.

It looks like Wapakoneta will be a shenanigans forum! It is very disappointing to have seen everyone immediately scheming to find ways around the rules, like them or not. Makes me want to give up chickens and go raise tropical fish....

Sam

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I also noticed that you had Nona Shearer in there, but listed Al Watts' email address on the brochure.

Sam

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Robert,

I have put many articles in the Poultry Press about the point system. I have even drawn a flow chart and had it printed. I believe it was also in one of our quarterly "News and Views". With the new point system everyone gains. The non-waterfowl poultry got an extra set to get points with the Grand or Reserve Champion Land fowl. The really benefit is that both Land fowl and Waterfowl have the opportunity to gain more points when it goes to Super or Reserve Show Champion.

Evy, herself has more than doubled her points at some show. Allow me to explain. At a show, pre-2000 rules, that was worth only 5 points for winning Champion Bantam Duck was the maximum points obtainable even if the duck went on to be Grand Champion Waterfowl. The rules now, which has happen to Evy, the duck went on to win Grand Champion Duck, giving her 2 more points. It then went on to be Grand Champion Waterfowl, getting 2 more points and finally winning Super Show Champion which gave her another 2 points, for a total of 6 additional points. So, instead of only 5 points, she got 11 points.

Evy should read the rules and understand them before making false statements like she did.

If the waterfowl people want to go back to the way it was, they would lose hundreds of points, which they have gained. I sure that Evy is not speaking for everyone.

Rico



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Subject: waterfowl

Date: February 24, 2001 9:44:45 PM EST

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CC: [S. R. Powell <srobertpowell@juno.com>](#) [Add to Address Book](#)

Rico;

I am about ready to tell the bantam duck people to go f\*&^&%%\$\$ themselves. To begin with they have been able to have their cake and eat it too, next they take up way too much room at a show (you can put 5 bantams where one goose is), finally they are extremely hard on judges. They have spooked more judges off than any other species.

I remember when Bill Kreuger, Mark Petereson, and I asked Lou Horton, "Where would you rather be? In a separate building with great cooping or in the regular show building and have them cooped rather cramped?" He stuttered and stammered and finally said he would rather be in a separate building and cooped great. He also realizes the waterfowl people are starting to piss people off with their attitude. They are becoming more trouble than they are worth. Show officials have been very patient with the waterfowl people. We all love the waterfowl but they need to realize what is going on and put things in perspective.

Bart

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**Subject:** Fw: Letter to the APA secretary/editor

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**From:** Michael Lacey

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**Sent:** Sunday, February 25, 2001 4:00 PM

**Subject:** Letter to the APA secretary/editor


I was somewhat troubled when I read the winter "News and Views" that once again the topic of Judges, judging and exhibiting at the same poultry show, was up for discussion. It was my understanding that this by-law change had been sent as a ballot to the entire membership in early 1999. The result of this vote was overwhelmingly in favor of judges NOT being able to exhibit and show at the same show. The by-law change (directed by our APA membership) was voted upon at Boston in the fall of 1999, and however, not unanimously supported by our district directors as the vote should have indicated, but was by a majority of our directors, voted to be by-law Article VII Sec. 3 f.

I also was aware that somehow this by-law change was brought forth AGAIN in March 2000 at Salt Lake City for discussion and was once again voted upon. Again, the majority of our district directors reaffirmed the previous vote. Now, AGAIN I see that this by-law was brought forth for discussion and vote at the fall 2000 meeting in Ontario. It was again, by majority vote, reaffirmed to STAND as an amendment to our Constitution.

What gives here? Does this just magically appear for discussion at all meetings of the APA? How and by whom is this constantly being brought back for review? I have not heard any outcry from our membership that THEY have changed their mind on their vote. I know that there has been made a provision for an emergency judging situation (no show, illness, etc) to be used in a TRUE emergency. Is this the APA of the membership, or selected few that have an agenda of their own? I trust that I will not see this topic in the minutes of the APA again.

I would appreciate this article appearing in the spring News and Views. Sincerely Pat Lacey APA Member

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Robert;

How are you doing? Things are still shitty here, weather has been crappy all winter.

Have you heard if the directors will be at the semi-annual in full force or if some of them will be missing? I have heard that Peter will be missing the meeting and could not find a proxy. I truly hope the directors realize how important this meeting is. The membership is really pissed off about this Columbus thing and are just setting back watching what you guys are going to do. I hope you have enough support to reprimand the outfit. I have not heard if Rico is going. If a couple of them are missing the whole thing could pass rather simply. I HOPE NOT!!

I visited with Bill Ryan today. I like the guy simply because you know where he is coming from. He told me that he wasn't too sure about you as Director but that he had called you a while back and was REALLY impressed with you. I told him my opinion of you, good of course, and I think you have a new friend. I know he is like a bull in a china shop but he speaks the truth.

Pat Lacey has started a mass e-mailing about the whole Columbus thing. She has addressed it to the A.P.A.. I received it today. If you don't get one please let me know and I will forward a copy.

Sam called today and he is really spooked about judging. I really hate that. It is all because of a couple of exhibitors that raked him of the coals. The last thing we need is to have an HONEST judged get spooked. I think he is still taken on a few "easy" shows. He has judged Iowa several times but refused our last offer. He is frustrated with people visiting with exhibitors the day before the show, people showing "borrowed" birds, etc. People have no idea how that affects a show.

That is another reason I think it is so very important to put this Columbus thing in its place. Otherwise things will continue to slide downhill.

If there is anything I can do please let me know.

Bart



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Subject: Re: Agenda items from District 2

Date: February 25, 2001 9:46:05 AM EST

To: s robert powell <srobertpowell@juno.com> [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

Good morning Robert,

I really appreciate the thought and effort that has gone into the agenda items you have submitted! Looks to me like you have some really good ideas.

If you have anything in writing/print regarding items #3, #4, #5, and #7 if you could bring copies with you for the board, or mail a copy to me and I will make copies for all board members for the meeting. It really helps if we have something to start with or to look at, in terms of getting something done. Otherwise the group has a tendency to just start talking and the end result is nothing happens, which I hate. I don't mind long meetings, as long as I have something to show for the time and effort invested when it is over. So any help I can give you in providing copies of your ideas I am more than willing to do. And again, thanks for your effort in working on some new and helpful ideas.

With peace and blessings,

Pat Malone

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Rico and Bart:

Thank you both for your patience and understanding with this waterfowl question. Like the two of you, I have grown weary from answering the same question over and over from the same small handful of waterfowl breeders.

Evy also got Pal Malone involved in her recent waterfowl questions and Pat sent her a very well worded reply (a copy of which Evy sent to me) which, I hope, will put an end to some of Evy's questions. Here, in part, is what Pat said to Evy:

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Concerning the new "landfowl" award you have the wrong idea. This in no way discriminates against bantam ducks or any other waterfowl. The opposite has been true. Bantam chickens etc. were discriminated against because they had no award like Champion Waterfowl to compete for. Champion Land Fowl is exactly the same as Champion Waterfowl. The champion standard chicken, bantam chicken, and turkey compete for Champion Landfowl. The champion standard duck, bantam duck, and goose compete for Champion Waterfowl. So the two awards are exactly the same. Then, Champion Landfowl and Champion Waterfowl compete for Show Champion. What could be more fair???? There is certainly no discrimination against bantam ducks.

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It sometimes happens, I think, that people begin to act like the birds and animals that they raise. People who raise nasty, undisciplined dogs sometimes start to behave like their dogs. People who raise pit games sometimes start to behave like pit games (genetic need to fight with their neighbors). People who raise Call Ducks sometimes start to act like Call Ducks (special ability to make lots of noise and draw attention to themselves). I wonder what this says about me? Do I sometimes act like a Plymouth Rock?

Like Pat Lacey and most of the APA, I, too, have grown weary of the constant reappearance of the judging and showing question. But the question, I think, has to be brought up yet again at Wapakoneta. The question this time is not "if" a judge can judge and show at the same show. The question this time is: What action will now be taken by the APA with regard to a club that has violated the APA's by-laws (as it appears that the Columbus group has) and allowed one or more judges to both judge and show at an APA-sanctioned show.

Two things can be done (as I see it):

(1) Not accept the show report for the show that was sponsored by the club that violated the APA's by-laws: A show that was sponsored by a club that violated the APA's by-laws can not be regarded by the APA as an officially sanctioned show (because the club did not follow the APA show rules). As

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such, the APA can not accept the show report from that club for the show in question.

(2) Not award meets of any kind to a club that won't comply with the APA's by-laws. Even if a meet has been awarded to a given club's show, that meet can always be withdrawn by the APA if the APA has reason to believe that the club in question will not adhere to the APA's by-laws.

In either case, exhibitors will get mad, of course. But they will not get mad at the APA. Exhibitors will get mad at the club that has violated or will not comply with the APA's by-laws.

Such a hobby, this exhibition poultry thing! As a teenager I used to collect stamps and I'm now thinking that maybe I should again. I wonder if the people who collect stamps have to put up with the kind of nonsense that seems to characterize the exhibition poultry hobby.

Robert

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Robert;

I think what you have said is exactly correct. Sorry for the whining on my part as well.

Bart

PS: A friend of mine has a brother that worked for the Postal System, He was busted for stealing and reselling the stamps to individuals (some of which were also arrested). Every hobby as a few dummies and assholes.



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Sam:

Thank you for your careful reading of the draft of the APA membership recruitment flyer that I sent. I will incorporate all of your suggestions/corrections in the draft of the flyer that I take with me to Wapakoneta.

I especially like the idea of adding the specific states/provinces for each district. Useful details--I have a special fondness for them. I also like the way you have reworded the item preceded by an asterisk on the membership information panel.

I'm somewhat surprised to see that I didn't allow enough room for the address on the membership form. That's one of the things that always bothers me on subscription forms of all kinds.

The officers and directors panels on the flyer are a Xerox copy of a page from the "2000 APA Yearbook." I didn't even read it. I just pasted it down--which is no excuse. I should have read it.

"Showbird Journal" Yes. Very good. We surely don't want to offend anyone.

I was pleased to see that you will judge in District 2 on May 20th.

Thanks again for casting your keen editorial eye over the draft of the membership recruitment flyer.

Robert

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Subject: Re: Agenda items from District 2

Date: February 26, 2001 5:26:38 PM EST

To: Pat Malone <prchurch@flash.net> Add to Address Book

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Pat:

Regarding items 3, 4, and 7 in my list of agenda items:

At the Directors' meeting, what I would like to do is simply ask three questions:

Should the APA draft a letter of support for use by an individual who is encountering difficulty in raising birds because of zoning regularions or ordinances?

Should the APA produce a list of guidelines and procedures that poultry clubs who are interested in hosting annual or semiannual meets of the APA could use in preparing to host an annual or semiannual meet of the APA?

Should the APA draft a letter of support for use by an individual who is encountering difficulty in raising birds because of animal rights groups?

My colleagues will, I trust, answer "yes" to all three questions. I will then volunteer to produce a draft of those three documents, for their review and comments, to be presented at an upcoming meeting of the Board, possibly at the annual meeting in Nebraska.

The whole process should take about five minutes.

Regarding item 5 in my list of agenda items:

I will have with me at the Directors' meeting a mock-up of the membership recruitment flyer that I have created. I will have copies available for the comments and review of all present. If the Board approves of what I have done, then a decision will have to be made on the printing of them (by whom, how many, weight of paper, etc.)

The membership recruitment flyer agenda item should also take about five minutes.

Evy Avery sent me a copy of your e-mail to her about the bantam ducks/waterfowl issue. Your reply to her is excellent.

I am looking forward to Wapakoneta. George Schroeder is going to ride out to Ohio with me. Having nominated George for the honor/lifetime achievement award, I assume that I will have the pleasure of making the presentation to George at the general membership meeting.

Robert

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Subject: Our Feathered Friends

Date: February 27, 2001 5:59:44 PM EST

To: [Evy <eravery@stny.rr.com>](#) [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

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Evy:

Thanks for the copy of the e-mail that you got from Pat Malone. He's a good leader and I'm confident that he will steer the APA's ship through the rocky waters that lie ahead at Wapakoneta.

Another incubator full of chicks hatched over the weekend--which is great. With any luck, I should have a good number of young birds to choose from for the fall shows.

I've got a lot to get done so that I can go out of town (Wapakoneta) for three days. I'm beginning to think that what I should really do is to find a rest home/lunatic asylum that will take me and several hundred exhibiton birds. Maybe I could set myself up, along with all of my birds and my herd of Herefords, as a permanent display at the local mall.

In the meantime, I'm going to give it my best to keep smiling.

Best regards,

Robert



Specials for CPAC's Spring Show  
May 6, 2001

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This is a fill-in-the-blanks form for putting up "specials" for the CPAC's Spring Show. You need not be limited to the kinds of specials described here. Feel free to make up your own. If you want to wait until the show to pay for the specials you put up, that will be fine. But you must get this form into Karen Porr's hands by March 15<sup>th</sup> or your specials will not be listed in the show catalogue.

I would like to put up the following specials for the 2001 CPAC Spring Show:

Your name and address:

S. Robert Powell  
R.D. #1, Box 40  
Carbondale, PA 18407-9708

\$\_\_\_\_\_ for Champion \_\_\_\_\_

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\$ 5.00 for BEST PARTRIDGE ROCK <sup>male</sup> in memory of S. A. NOFTZGER

\$ 5.00 BEST PARTRIDGE ROCK <sup>female</sup> in memory of  
LAURENCE C. ALLEN

\$\_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_

Name:

Address

[a leading breeder  
of Partridge Rocks  
50 years ago]

paid  
\$10 cash  
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Mail to: Karen Porr, 72 Springer Lane, New Cumberland, PA 17070-2455

[the man who  
created Partridge Rocks]

Curtis R. Oakes  
6860 State Hwy. 173  
Cochranton, PA 16314  
March 4, 2001

Rev. Roland Romig  
221 North Elmer Ave.  
Sayre, PA 18840

Dear Rev. Roland Romig:

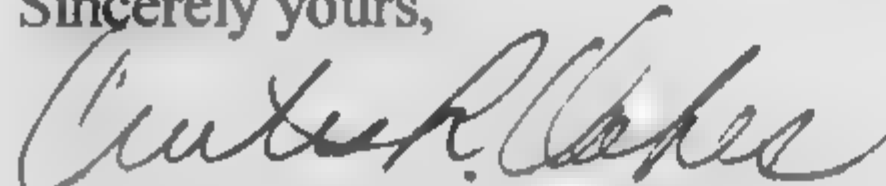
I am writing in response to getting Guinea Fowl Standardized. This will be a large undertaking and I am thanking you and Robert in advance for spearheading this meeting.

I have been breeding and showing guineas for 30 years. I have raised, Pearl, White, Lavender, Royal Purple and I am currently breeding Buff Dundot. As with poultry, one will find that guineas can be improved through selective breeding. I support the standardization of this fowl. However, there are several obstacles that must be addressed as follows:

1. Should the APA Board of Directors decide to admit guinea fowl, (who will pay the printing costs, etc.)? Sponsors will have to be solicited. Feed companies and hatcheries are some suggestions where we might start.
2. Who will determine and write the Standard description? I recommend that a team of breeders adapt the already printed Standard from Europe.
3. Who will be qualified to judge guinea fowl and how will they be tested? I feel that all current judges should have to attend a seminar and sign that they have completed said seminar. New judges would be tested in the same manner that other poultry tests are administered.
4. What varieties will be admitted? I suggest: Pearl, White, Lavender, Buff Dundot and maybe Royal Purple to start. Others can be added as interest grows.
5. Where and how will the qualifying meet or meets be held? I suggest holding a meet for one or two varieties at different shows. This will not over burden any one show with several hundred guineas.

Again, thank you for working on this worthwhile cause.

Sincerely yours,



Curtis R. Oakes, APA, ABA Judge

CO/JMO

cc: S. Robert Powell

2/7/01

Dear Curtis,

Thanks for your letter of support of the Guinea Fowl standardization process.

I will take your letter to the meeting at Wapakoneta and bring up all of the points that you mention.

would it be possible for you to send me

(or Rev. Romig) a copy of the European standard for Guinea Fowl?

There seems to be a lot of interest in the Guinea Fowl project.

Thanks again for your letter of support.

Sincerely  
Robert

S. Robert Powell  
R.D. #1, Box 40  
Carbondale, PA 18407-9706



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## SPRING KICKOFF 2001 By Matt Lhamon

Plans are finalized for the West Central Ohio Poultry Breeders "Spring Kickoff 2001" Poultry show. The complete show catalog is in this issue of the Press and is also available on line at <http://www.crohio.com/wcopb>. Entries can be made online with any major credit card.

After the catalog went to press, I received a call from our host hotel, The Best Western of Wapakoneta. The restaurant and lounge portion of the hotel is now under demolition and will be replaced with a Bob Evans restaurant. Unfortunately this will not be completed in time for our show. We are working with other Wapakoneta restaurants to line up some special deals for our exhibitors and we will have more info at the show.

Thanks to our hard working

club member, Denise Neuman, the Wapakoneta YMCA has been reserved for our youth and adult poultry exhibitors from 8-10 p.m., Sat. March 17, 2001. This is a new facility and we have use of the swimming pool, basketball, and volleyball areas along with refreshments in the lobby. Parents are welcome to stay on and chat with other exhibitors or drop the kids off at 8 p.m. and come back and get them at 10 p.m. If you have never been to one of our shows, we keep the kids busy and they will sleep well Saturday night.

Along with the APA Semi-Annual Meet and the American Sumatra Association National Meet, we will host 7 District meets, 8 State meets and 8 Special Meets. The district meets are American Brown Leghorn, Cochins International, Silver Wyandotte Club of America, RI Red Club of America, International Waterfowl Breeders Association, White Faced Black Spanish, Blue Andalusian, and New

Hampshire Breeders. I have a few specials to add that did not make the catalog for the district meets. There will be a Rhode Island Red Cockerel Special, with a rosette offered for the Best and Reserve 3 cockerels by one exhibitor with Large and bantam and both comb types competing. This was a popular award of the Red club many years ago. An anonymous fancier had donated rosettes for BV-RV Black, Buff, Blue, White, Mottled and AOV Cochin Bantam and Black, Buff, Blue, White and AOV Cochin Large Fowl. We also have been honored with the State Meet of the d'Anver Club.

On Saturday 17, 2001 at around 11:00, there will be a meeting of those fanciers interested in the introduction of Guineas into the APA Standard. Details will be available at the show.

Well, that's it for now, any further updates will appear in the March issue. We are praying for a beautiful March weekend and look forward to seeing our old poultry friends and making some new ones.

Guinea  
Fowl



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Subject: Fwd: Poultry Show

Date: March 3, 2001 10:08:23 PM EST

To: srobertpowell@juno.com [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

Robert

I just got this confirmation from the Northern NY club.

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Roger:

We would be honored to have you use our Club for your regional event. To the best of my knowledge our show will be on September 16th at the Waddington Arena. If any different, I will e-mail you to let you know. The only thing we have to do is confirm the arena for that weekend. We should know by Monday, 3/5 about this. If it changes I will let you know. Please forward me any information you have on this event so that we can get things in place. Thanks. Floyd

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Subject: Fwd: State Meet

Date: March 6, 2001 8:18:51 AM EST

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Received this last evening. Did you get allot of snow? We got about 7" yesterday and another 5" overnight.~~~~~Roger

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Roger:

We scheduled a judge and the building is reserved for our show on the 16th. This is just to let you know that our Show date is final. Keep in touch if you need anything. Thanks. Floyd



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**Subject:** Re: Agenda Items from District 2  
**Date:** March 5, 2001 1:02:58 PM EST  
**To:** s robert powell <srobertpowell@juno.com> [Add to Address Book](#)  
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Robert,

Many thanks for your reply. You have a good plan, and I hope that you are right. I don't mind taking whatever time is needed to discuss a proposal. But when the talk is done, I want to see something happen besides more talk. I hope our directors will give you the green light to get cracking. You obviously have some good ideas and some energy to make things happen, and that is what we need on our board. We have a lot of talkers, but very few "doers."

You will be getting a followup mailing with an agenda item from Bart. Duane had been sitting on it since December 27th. Not sure what he was waiting for. Also you will get a mailing from Lorna with a judge license request I have just received from Ernie.

Also, you should have received my e-mail reply to Pat Lacey's letter of February 25th.

Better close for now. See you in a couple of weeks.

Pat

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 Subject: cochins  
 Date: March 6, 2001 6:05:14 PM EST  
 To: srobertpowell@juno.com [Add to Address Book](#)  
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Hello Robert,

It was interesting reading your page. Would you be kind enough to tell me who has some of the better Standard Cochins in the country? Also, is there a National club? Thank you very much.

regards,  
 Rick Barker

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 Subject: RE: cochins  
 Date: March 9, 2001 3:12:59 PM EST  
 To: Rick Barker <rick@pplc.net> [Add to Address Book](#)  
 CC:

March 9, 2001

Rick:

Three names come to mind:

1. Elton Minnich, 6555 Madison Street, New Tripoli, PA 18066 610-298-3467. Elton has some very nice standard cochins, in several varieties. He is very involved with the International Cochin club and can probably put you in touch with many breeders of standard cochins.

2. Larry and Mark Peterson, P. O. Box 386, Amboy, MN 56010. They have very nice standard buff cochins.

3. Richard Barczewski has been working in recent years with standard Partridge Cochins and has some very nice birds. His e-mail address is rbarczew@dsc.edu

I hope this information is useful.

S. Robert Powell  
 APA District 2 Director

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**Date:** March 8, 2001 1:28:15 PM EST

**To:** [Bill Wulff <poultryp@si-net.com>](#) [Add to Address Book](#)

**CC:**

Thursday, March 8

Bill:

Please run the CPAC show/auction ad again in the April issue of "Poultry Press."

Please delete from the ad my name and phone number as the contact person, and insert the following:

"There will be a PIGEON SHOW.  
Contact Andy Rapach at 570-455-9719."

Thanks.

Robert



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Date: March 9, 2001 4:43:53 PM EST

To: [apa@netins.net](mailto:apa@netins.net) [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

March 9

Bart:

Received a revised agenda from Pat Malone a couple of days ago and was pleased to see that the item that you sent to Duane Urch (grading of APA exams) has been added under "New Business."

Phoned Duane Urch last night to see if he could transport a Narragansett tom from Ohio to Minnesota. He reported that he will not attend the meetings at Wapakoneta; Dan Karasek will be his proxy.

I'm beginning to wonder if the APA should have the proxy procedure it does (a policy which is in violation of "Roberts' Rules of Order"). I realize that it's not always easy for all the directors to attend all the meetings, but it seems to me that one should not run for the office without having made a serious commitment in advance to attend the meetings.

I liked your article, "Pulling Together." It reminded me of the statement: "All that it takes for the forces of evil to triumph in this world is enough good people to do nothing."

Robert

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Perry, Iowa, 50220  
Pete Malmberg, 2383 C Ave.  
515-465-3577  
- 2884

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**Subject:** Narragansett turkeys

**Date:** March 9, 2001 4:21:01 PM EST

**To:** [pamhlm@racoon.com](#) [Add to Address Book](#)

**CC:**

March 9

Pete:

The shipping box has not yet arrived.

I spoke with Duane Urch last night and asked him if he would be willing to transport a Narragansett tom from Ohio back to his place. He reported that he will not attend the semiannual in Ohio and that he will be represented by Dan Karasek as his proxy.

We then got to talking about turkeys and Duane reported that he has some Narragansett toms available now. Perhaps it makes more sense (from a financial point of view) for you to get a tom from Duane Urch?

S. Robert Powell

- raises Jaws

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— sent to George on 3/20/01 for  
the 3 Wayne County papers

## **George Schroeder Honored by American Poultry Association**

George Schroeder, Prompton, was presented an honor/lifetime achievement award by the American Poultry Association on March 17, 2001. The award was presented by the president of the organization, Pat Malone, at the APA's semiannual meet and convention at Wapakoneta, OH.

S. Robert Powell, Carbondale, and George Schroeder traveled together to this two-day poultry convention, which was hosted by the West Central Ohio Poultry Breeders Association. Powell, also a poultry fancier, serves as the director of APA District 2, an area that includes PA, NY, NJ, DE, MD, and DC.

George Schroeder is a life member of the APA, having joined about 1940. On July 5, 1949, at the APA's 76th annual meet and convention in Honesdale, Schroeder became an APA general-licensed judge (#868). In 1950, at the request of Paul Ives, he judged the national meet of the Plymouth Rock club at the Boston show, and with that he began a 50-year career as one of the most highly respected APA general-licensed poultry judges in America.

He was a charter member of the Wayne County Poultry Fanciers' Association ("The Cocky Crowd")—an innovative, adventuresome, and courageous group of poultry fanciers, and very probably the most celebrated poultry association in America in the 1940s and 1950s.

The Cocky Crowd sponsored not only the 17 widely renowned Honesdale Summer Shows in the period 1942-1959, but also hosted, in Honesdale, the 76<sup>th</sup> national meet and convention of the American Poultry Association (June 21-25, 1949) and four semiannual meets (1949, 1952, 1954, and 1955) of the American



Bantam Association in the seven-year period, beginning in 1949.

Among the key figures in the Cocky Crowd over the years were George Schroeder, James Rutherford, Robert Box, Russell C. Wildenstein, Oscar Blake, Robert Southerton, Ray Terwilliger, Harry M. Blake, Walter Simmons, Percy Wilmarth, Wesley Orth, William Kinzinger, Warren Smith, and Andy Dukerich.

On Saturday, June 25, 1949, at the joint APA/ABA meet (APA 76<sup>th</sup> annual)/ABA 3<sup>rd</sup> semiannual) in Honesdale, the Cocky Crowd sponsored and organized a poultry parade down Honesdale's Main Street. In the parade, the chairman of which was Robert Southerton, were 16 bands and drum and bugle corps, 50 floats, fire equipment, antique cars, cavalry, the color guard of veterans groups, Boy and Girl Scouts, a troop of mounted police, 3 companies of infantry, town officials, a float on which were displayed James Rutherford's celebrated standard Columbian Rocks, and open convertibles in which rode ABA and APA officials. Ten thousand people lined the street for the poultry parade.

The APA, the ABA, and the Wayne County Fanciers Association, working independently as well as together, repeatedly made poultry history in Honesdale in the 1940s and 1950s. Throughout the period, George Schroeder was a key player and significantly contributed to the successes achieved by all three organizations.

So popular with poultry fanciers all across America did the Honesdale summer shows become that Frank L. Gary, then president of the American Bantam Association, was prompted to remark, at the Saturday night banquet at the 1954 Honesdale Summer Show: "It would be a terrible thing in a fancier's life not to be able to come to the Honesdale Summer Show."

In the 1940s and 1950s, George bred and exhibited White Cochins

bantams (bloodline of Art V. Granger, South Bend, IN). In 1955, at the Jamestown, NY show, he won, for the third time (previously won at the New York shows in January and December 1949), the New York/ABA Gold Trophy (cast in bronze and gold plated) for best cock, hen, cockerel, pullet, and trio of one variety on White Cochin bantams. Four engravings of George Schroeder's White Cochins were created by Arthur O. Schilling, the most highly regarded and celebrated poultry artist in America at the time. Schilling was also George Schroeder's exhibition poultry mentor.

In later years, George bred and exhibited Black Cochin bantams (bloodline of D. Ross Blanford, Kansas City and Albuquerque). In 1994, he was named a Master Breeder and Exhibitor (#174) of Black Cochin bantams by the American Bantam Association.

From 1950 to 1990, he served as poultry superintendent at the Wayne County Fair. During these years, he also served, for an unprecedented two terms, as president of the Pennsylvania Poultry Federation.

From 1990 to 1999, he served as the president of the Wayne County fair. During George's time as president, Richard Laabs, Hawley, served as poultry superintendent at the fair. In 2000, George Schroeder again became the poultry superintendent at the Wayne County Fair.

When not raising a family or raising, showing, promoting, and judging poultry, George Schroeder worked for over 30 years, starting in 1950, as a field representative for Limestone Products Corporation, Newton, NJ.

Congratulations-and hats off-to George Schroeder: poultry breeder, exhibitor, promoter, and judge.

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# Central Pennsylvania Avian Club NEWSLETTER

March 19, 2001

S. Robert Powell, Editor (R. D. 1, Box 40, Carbondale, PA 18407-9706)  
srobertpowell@juno.com

## The APA Semiannual Meet Wapakoneta, OH, March 16-18, 2001

Hosted by the West Central Ohio Poultry Fanciers Association. Very nice show: 1,878 birds (391 standards, 1,238 bantams, 236 waterfowl, 13 turkeys). 196 exhibitors from 14 states and Canada. Show judged by Paul Montieth, Troy LaRoche, Henry Mager, Jim Adkins, and Earl Jones. Junior show judge, Mike Sayre; junior showmanship judge, Mark Lange.

CPAC members who showed birds at Wapakoneta: **Milton and Donna Schatz, Tom Kernan, and Richard Hickman.**

Guinea Fowl meeting, 11 A.M., March 17: meeting chaired by **Rev. Roland Romig** and **S. Robert Powell**. We made a good beginning in the process of getting Guinea Fowl admitted to the *American Standard of Perfection*. A detailed report on the meeting will be available soon.

This is not intended to be a comprehensive report on the show. Rather, we will focus here only on two events that took place at the show that relate directly to District 2.

### Hall of Fame Exhibitors in District 2

To be named an APA Hall of Fame Exhibitor, a fancier must earn at least one thousand Master Exhibitor points.



**Bill Ryan** (C. William Ryan, Box 212 Mayfield, NY 12117) and **Twin Cedar Farm** (Shelby and Eddie Harrington, 2114 Gun & Rod Club Road, Houston, DE 19954) were recently designated Hall of Fame Exhibitors by the American Poultry Association. At the APA semiannual meet at Wapakoneta, OH on March 17-18, they were both presented with their APA commemorative plaques by APA president Pat Malone. Congratulations to Bill Ryan and to Twin Cedar Farm on being named APA Hall of Fame Exhibitors.

Two other fanciers in District 2 were named Hall of Fame Exhibitors some time ago: Art Lundgren (NY) and Curtis Oakes (PA). Congratulations (belated) to Art Lundgren and Curtis Oakes on being named APA Hall of Fame Exhibitors.

## **APA Honor/Lifetime Achievement Award**

District 2 native son (and CPAC member) George Schroeder was presented an APA Honor/Lifetime Achievement award by the American Poultry Association at the APA semiannual meet at Wapakoneta, OH on March 17-18. Congratulations—and hats off—to George Schroeder on this well-earned honor.

Enclosed is a copy of the George Schroeder commemorative flyer that S. Robert Powell prepared and had available for distribution to all present at the APA general membership meeting on March 17th at which George Schroeder received his APA Honor/Lifetime Achievement award.

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**CPAC Spring Auction, Saturday, May 5, beginning at 10 A.M.**  
**CPAC Spring Poultry and Pigeon Show, Sunday, May 6**

## Welcome New CPAC Members

We are pleased to welcome into membership in the Central Pennsylvania Avian Club the following new members:

**Thomas J. Berrigan**, 4 Parkview Drive, Elysburg, PA 17824.  
672-9561

**William J. Goff, Jr.**, R. D. 1, Box 179, Montrose, PA 18801. 570-278-4280

**Sartell Family**, Box 121Z, Thompson, PA 18465

## Membership Renewals

In the period following the publication of the February 14, 2001 *CPAC Newsletter*, the following CPAC members have renewed their memberships:

1. The Ron Stiles family
2. Craig Russell
3. Daniel L. Whiteman, Sr.
4. Emery's Bantam Roost (Don Emery), 2 years
5. Robert Simons
6. Taylor Powers (age 12)
7. Andrew G. Rapach

## HELP WANTED

There are dozens of jobs that have to get done before, during, and after the CPAC's spring auction and show. Don't wait to be asked to help. **Get involved. Volunteer to help.**

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# Susquehanna County Poultry Club

February 24, 2001

The newly formed and temporarily named "Susquehanna County Poultry Club" met at the residence of Ron and Lynn Stiles for the purpose of organizing a youth group interested in the breeding, raising, and promoting of fancy show poultry and waterfowl. Youth in attendance were: Bethany Page, Kyle Leonard, Jessica Sartell, Karl McDonald, Ryan Kane, and Taylor McKinney. Several interested and supportive parents were also in attendance.

The initial segment of the meeting was comprised of remarks delivered by S. Robert Powell about the American Poultry Association. Mr. Powell is District Director for the APA as well as a licensed poultry judge. This was followed by Mr. Powell examining and commenting on each of the examples of poultry the youth brought to the meeting. A blood-testing demonstration was also provided by Mr. Powell to acquaint the members to the procedures required by the Commonwealth.

Another demonstration was provided by Ron Stiles for the purpose of acquainting the youth with the proper methods of preparing poultry for competitive showing. This included proper trimming of beak and claws as well as a proper bathing method to present the poultry in its most favorable appearance before a judge at a show.

Throughout the meeting the members were encouraged to read and learn as much as possible about the breeds of poultry and waterfowl that they are working with to insure success in their projects. Cited as sources of support were the American Poultry Association, The American Bantam Association, and the Central Pennsylvania Avian Club.

Members were asked to formulate ideas for a more permanent club name for the next meeting as well as basic by-laws from which the club could be run smoothly.

Before breaking for lunch, the club selected the following officers:

President.....	Kyle Leonard .....	756-3087
Vice-President.....	Karl McDonald.....	434-2017
Secretary.....	Jessica Sartell.....	756-2447
Treasurer.....	Bethany Page.....	756-2602
Advisory Committee.....	Ryan Kane and Taylor McKinney	

Mr. Robert Simons, Mr. S. Robert Powell, and Mr. Ron Stiles will serve as advisors for the club.

It was decided that the next meeting would be March 24 at the Stiles residence at 10:00 a.m.

Any youth interested in becoming a member of this club should contact one of the officers for more information. You do not have to own poultry to be a member



Feb 27/01

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Robert

I received your card & message.  
Tried to call you for 2 nights - maybe  
I didn't let the phone ring long enough.  
I do not have any adult Brown Reds at  
this time that I want to part with. I  
do not have any BB Reds at all. I only  
have whites, blacks, Lemon blues, and Brown  
Reds. I have six pairs of Brown Reds paired  
up for this season & am getting eggs but  
you must realize it's still the middle of  
winter up here. It's very difficult to get any  
eggs before they are too cold to hatch. However  
I could set some eggs to the Bloomsburg show.  
I will call Mark & let him know this  
information. Just wanted to acknowledge your  
card. Also to say Happy Quil Deer Sant.

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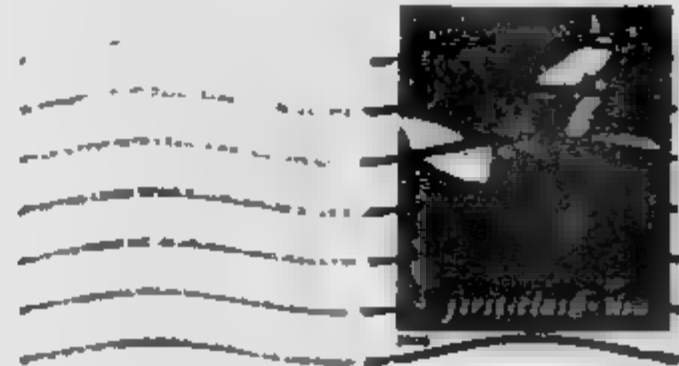
That's welsh for Happy Saint David's-  
Day which is March 1<sup>st</sup> There must be many  
St. David day festivities in Pennsylvania with  
so many welsh people down there. My sons  
& Jane going to the St David's Day Banquet in  
Hamilton ny. Good welsh food, singing, poetry reading  
just like an Eisteddfod & Gymnast Games combined

Best Regards to you

Paul



Paul Jones  
380 West Rd.  
Oneida, NY 13421-9001



S. Robert Powell  
R01 Box 40  
Carbondale, Pa 18407-9706

1840743706



It was Paul Jones who gave me the  
two red cut-out wood welsh  
dragons.

**EASTERN NEW  
YORK POULTRY  
ASSOCIATION**  
3/01  
13 By Jamie Matts

This is my first attempt as show secretary so bare with me as I go through the winners at the 38th Eastern New York Poultry Association Fall show held at the Cobleskill Fairgrounds on September 23, 2000. My first order of business is to personally thank all that attended. A special thank you to all that helped set up and tear down and everything in between, without all of your help the show would not have been possible. We had a little over 900 birds entered. The judges were S. Robert Powell, Jerry Yeaw, Rick Hare and Ralph Vanwormer (judging the Junior class).

After all was said and done Art Lundgren was the big winner of the day with a White Call old male that took the show as Super Grand Champion. Art's bird was also champion waterfowl and champion bantam of the show. Reserve Champion of the show was a Rhode Island Red Cockerel by Don and Sue Nelson.

In a breakdown of the classes this is how it went: Champion American out of 29 birds was a New Hampshire Pullet by Rick Pimentel this bird was also Reserve Champion large Fowl. Champion Asiatic out of 18 was a Black Langshan Pullet by Sue Myers, which also was Grand Champion Large Fowl. Champion English out of 12 was a Black Australorp Pullet by Rick Pimentel. Champion Mediterranean out of 11 was Single Comb light Brown Leghorn pullet by Bob Anke. Champion Continental out of 14 was a Golden Penciled Hamburg pullet by Donald Krahe and Champion AOSB was an Old English Game Pullet by Paul Jones. This was a fine class of large fowl and Sue and Rick should be proud.

In the bantam class best bantam chicken was a Rhode Island Red Cockerel owned by Don and Sue Nelson. This bird was champion SCCL out of 139 birds. Reserve champion bantam was a Black Cochins cockerel owned by Kathy and Tom Roebuck, which was Champion Featherleg out of 134 shown. In the modern game class it was Lee Bowhall who came out on top with a BB Red Cockerel out of 25 moderns. Champion Old English Game was a Wheaten Cockerel by Bennetts Bantams, 93 Old English were exhibited. \* Champion RCCL was a Silver laced Wyandotte Cockerel by Sugar Hill Poultry out of 165 other RCCL's. The champion AOCCL out of 7 was a black Sumatra hen by Don Krahe.

As far as the juniors go for the day there were 18 exhibitors with a total of 75 birds. The Champion Large Fowl was a Buff Cochins

Cockerel owned by Mary Grant. Champion Bantam was also won by Mary Grant with a Black Cochins Cock bird, way to go Mary! Lucas Petit with a Rouen Pullet won Champion Waterfowl. Quite a few of these kids helped out a lot with this show and need to be commended for their efforts. Thanks again for all of your help.

And last but certainly not least was the waterfowl which had Art Lundgren walking away with the show with his White Call Old Drake. There were over 100 call ducks and over 162 ducks, geese and this little duck walked away with it all, not to mention Champion over 922 other birds. Reserve Champion waterfowl was a Black Cayuga young drake by Bill Ryan. Bill also had champion medium duck with this bird over 13 other medium ducks. Champion heavy duck was a Rouen Young Drake by Shawn Streeter out of 17. Champion light duck out of 7, was a white runner young drake by Pete Millimen. Champion Goose out of 21 was a White Embden young gander by Bill Ryan, who also had reserve goose with his Brown African young gander. Champion medium goose was a white Sebastopol by Christine Lehman and Champion light goose was a Roman Tufted hen by Melissa Reale.

As my first attempt as being show secretary I have learned one thing, a greater respect for this position and the organization. Thanks to all who made this show a success and congratulations to the winners of each class.

We all look forward to seeing you next September here in Cobleskill, New York.

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# Youth Program News

3<sup>rd</sup> Edition – March 2001

Editors: Mike & Janet Miller Youth Program National Coordinators

## Moving Up the Levels!!!!!!

**Congratulations** to the following Youth Members who achieved levels in the A.C.E. Program. Thumbs up to all of you.



### Coop Tender:

Angelica Blomquist – Montana  
 Hillary Ewing – Montana  
 Nathan Hubbard – Michigan  
 Caitlin Hubbard – Michigan  
 Frank Kinard – Florida  
 Michael Kinard – Florida  
 Grant McGhee – Michigan

### Flock Tender:

Garth Regula – Ohio  
 Jeremy Heckel – Montana

### Flock Master

PJ Metzker – Florida

The A in ACE stands for Activities – to achieve levels members must participate in poultry-related activities. The C is for Competition – that means exhibiting birds at fairs and/or open shows. Members must accumulate a specified number of points to pass each level. E stands for Education – requiring that members have a good basic knowledge of poultry.

## A Letter from the Editors:

We want to take this opportunity to wish everyone good luck and encourage good sportsmanship at shows. What a tough job the judges have when trying to place birds - knowing how badly everyone wants to win. But we all know that at a poultry show – as with any other competitive event – we can't all walk away with the first place ribbon. With the judges' opinions being different and the birds showing differently from one show to the next it keeps things very interesting and exciting. It sure feels good to win, but as equally important to the thrill of victory is the support of the other competitors. If you can be a gracious winner when you are so honored – that means that you don't brag – you deserve a good old pat on the back for all the hard work it took to get you there. If you can be a gracious loser – that means you congratulate the winner and can keep from saying bad things about him behind his back – you deserve two pats on the back because you have accomplished an even greater feat than winning a poultry class.

The other area you need to pay close attention to at shows is keeping your birds clean, fed and watered. The visitors at shows and especially at county fairs may not have much experience with poultry and it's a great opportunity to interest them in the poultry fancy. Take pride in your birds and talk to anyone who is willing to listen about your experiences showing poultry. Some folks have no idea how much fun showing poultry can be.

Just remember that whether at a small junior fair or a large open poultry show, as an exhibitor, you are representing the Poultry Fancy. Please behave in a way that will make your fellow fanciers proud.

Think about it, Mike and Janet - Program Coordinators

Hi,

I just thought you might like to read the story I just entered into the cultural art 4-H contest for my county. I entered the storytelling contest. I had to write about a 4-H experience. Of course I chose to write about chickens. You can reprint this in your newsletter if you'd like. I won a blue ribbon with this true story.

## I Love Chickens

By Lizzie Fusilier  
Cloverleaf 4-H club  
Age 11  
Grade 5



My best friend Kelly has chickens. I loved to go over to her house and play with them. My dream was to have chickens of my very own. I had to beg my mom for several months before she finally gave in and let me get chickens. Our first 10 came from the mail lady. She gave us 10 day old, mixed breed chicks, after the petting zoo was done with them. They lived in a wading pool in our family room for several weeks until we were able to build a chicken coop. Our chicken flock grew a few weeks later when our neighbor gave us her 20 chicks. One was a Buff Rock, two were White Leghorns, and the rest were Bantams. A raccoon kept breaking into her coop and eating her flock.

I fell in love with my flock of chickens as they grew and I wanted to show them at the fair. I had not signed up for poultry project in the fall because I didn't have any chickens yet, so I had to show in open class. This year I will be able to show in the 4-H classes.

I attended as many poultry workshops that I could and read as many books on chickens as I could find. The stories I wrote at school were all about chickens. I still love talking and reading about chickens!

When fair time approached I had to prepare the 3 pullets and 1 cockerel that I would show. First I had to take them to the fairgrounds to be blood tested. After they were tested each chicken was given a leg band with a number on it. My dad built a special cage for me to use when transporting the chickens.

I had to handle my chickens every day to tame them. My favorite pullet was Minnie, a Black Tailed White Japanese Bantam. She was so gentle that I soon taught her several tricks. She can play dead, perch on my shoulder and head, and I can cradle her on her back like a baby. I also had to get the chickens used to staying in a small cage so they wouldn't be too scared when they lived in a cage at the fair.

A few days before fair, I had to trim their toenails. Because they were so tame, they behaved very well when I did this. Then we had to give them all a bath. I was amazed how well they tolerated this. All of them held very still, except for Rosie. She is a Buff Rock and is a little more irritable. Minnie was the best behaved. She was so cute! She seemed to love floating in the warm water. After their bath I kept them in a clean cage until the fair.

Finally the big day arrived. I could bring my very own chickens to the fair! I was so excited! They settled right in to their separate cages. Some of the other chickens looked nervous, but not mine! I gave each of my chickens food and water. I had to attach the dishes to the cages so they wouldn't tip them over. I checked their dishes several times each day so they never became empty. I especially enjoyed taking Minnie out of her cage so the fair visitors could pet and hold her. I would even show off the tricks that Minnie could do. This always brought a smile to their faces.

In open class I didn't have to take the chickens out of their cages for the judge, but I will this year. I'll keep handling my chickens so they will do well with this.

I won blue ribbons with Minnie and Sultan (a mixed meat breed cockerel). I won red ribbons with Rosie and Natasha (a mixed meat breed pullet). This year I will show even more chickens. I hope to incubate some of my own eggs this spring. 4-H has been a very good experience for me. I have learned so much more about chickens. 4-H has helped my love for chickens grow.

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Editor's note: Many ABA/APA Youth Members are also involved in 4-H. The Youth program is not designed to compete with the 4-H program – but rather to enhance the experiences of members who choose to take their poultry hobby to a higher level. It sounds like Lizzie is really enjoying her birds. We hope the rest of you are too



POSITIVE OR NEGATIVE by Dave Owens – West-Half Co-ordinator

After spending many years working with poultry fanciers and the youth, I've come to some conclusions. Some may help you be a better fancier and hopefully a better human. Watching the old established fancier interact with the youth has been an education and certain things soon became evident. First, we'll cover some of the negatives. Dedicated fanciers devoted to their breed and its improvement look with disfavor on what I call the "deep pocket" fancier. This is a person who buys their show string and then brag on their wins. They, on the average, don't stick around for long. I tell the youth I'm working with that it's more important and a much better win when you put together the mating, hatch, raise and condition a bird to champion row. This is a "real" win! Buy the best you can find and afford, work with them, improve them, be patient, and you will win. If your local club is like most other clubs, they have an older base group who does all the planning and work. Some of the groups are in danger of becoming extinct like the dinosaur because of age and infirmity. Then we have the people who make promises but don't fulfill the commitment. This leaves many hard feelings along the way and the negative side is always the easiest side to remember. Next we have the "short cut" group who can't wait, who have to cheat to get their wins and make it hard on the young fanciers. Breaking the rules to get an advantage seems to be the current trend and believe me most youth are very observant and the "if he can do it, I can" philosophy will avail. Are you guilty of entering your birds late, showing up an hour before coop in, coop your birds and then complain about the layout, lack of cups, feed and water. Then you sit on your bottom the whole show, then complain about the judging and want to coop out early. When you do coop out do you leave the cups in the cage and the cage door open and hurry to leave? If this sound like you, you are a "taker" and not a "giver" and this is remembered by the older dedicated fancier (who's help you may need later) I keep hearing a win is a win but that is a misnomer. Until you've put together the mating, hatched and conditioned that bird to its win, you don't have a true win. Some parents and kids become impatient and have to win their first 2 or 3 times out. Be patient, work with your birds, learn about the birds, and the other things you need to know. You'll be more satisfied because you'll realize it takes work and dedication to be good in anything. Now from these observations, are you a negative or a positive fancier? We have lots of you fanciers coming up who are trying to help but don't know how. Calling the group who's putting on the show, offering to help and maybe bring along a few friends, endears you to the people who make the difference. And there's lots of work to do during the show. The ole fanciers made the hobby and probably have forgotten more than we'll every know. Now is the time for you to start trying to improve it. Approach the hobby with a plan and be patient. As a young fancier, like it or not, you hold the future of the poultry fancy in your hands. You'll find working with people now will keep you from having to reinvent the wheel So, what am I saying> 1. Develop a positive help/improvement of the hobby philosophy. 2. Volunteer to help in all phases of the shows. 3. Be responsible--do what you promise and show up on time. 4 Work hard to improve your breed. Just think, taking two birds of average to poor type, developing them into a winning strain--what a feather that will put in your cap. That's what our forefathers did! 5. Learn the mechanics of showing your birds now, ask questions, listen, and help the older fancier. You'll learn more and be happier. 6. It's not enough just to show up at the shows--be helpful and help change the future. The hobby has been good for me especially working with the youth. You learn along with the kids, their wins promote satisfaction, and seeing them grow into responsible adults really warms the ole ego.

Do you use all the resources available to you to learn more about poultry? Have you tried all these?



Poultry related newspapers, club newsletters, and books – all are excellent sources of information



Taking advantage of the knowledge and experience of "long-time" poultry fanciers – (talk to them – often)

Check out some of the great sites on the Internet



Attend seminars and clinics – participate in showmanship classes



Raise, care for and show your own birds Experience is the bes' teacher!







## New Leaders for Connecticut Alison & Rick Trojanoski

Hi, We're Alison & Rick Trojanoski and we've volunteered to be the State Leaders for Connecticut. Rick and I both come from farming backgrounds and we were both very active in the FFA and 4-H while growing up. After we got married we set up a small farm of our own raising Southdown sheep and Yorkshire hogs. After our children were born we added poultry to our menagerie and the birds soon became the kids' favorite to show. They certainly are easier to load and transport to the shows than the hogs! Both of our sons have become very involved with the birds. Our oldest son Tristan, 10, raises bantam Wyandottes in Blue, Black, and Partridge - and has been very successful showing them at local fairs and 4-H shows. Our youngest Nathaniel, 6, shows Bantam & Standard Modern games and standard Rhode Island Reds and is having great fun with his birds. Rick and I have Bantam Moderns in Lemon Blue, Silver Blue, Brown Red and Birchen. Rick's primary breed is Belgian d'Uccles in Millie Fleur and my primary breed is Belgian d'Anvers in Quail. We have served as the youth coordinators for the Northeast Poultry Congress for the past few years and have enjoyed working with the kids. Becoming the state leaders for the ABA/APA Youth program seems to be the natural progression for us. We welcome the opportunity to work with the youth in our area and encourage them to contact us with any questions they may have concerning the program. We can be reached at (860) 267-1108 or email at [Hopehollow@hotmail.com](mailto:Hopehollow@hotmail.com). We are planning to offer a program at the Connecticut Poultry Show on May 20, 2001 to introduce people to the program and to review portfolios and offer tests for those ready to advance to the next level.

Can you answer these riddles?

What do chickens serve at birthday parties?



What do chicken families do on Sunday afternoons?



What did the chicken do when he saw a bucket of fried chicken?



1) coop-cakes 2) they go on peck-nics.  
3) he kicked the bucket



## Meet Montana's New State Leader - Koralyn Kibbee

*The Chicken Lady of Montana:* How did this come about? Some 10 years ago we offered to help with 4-H Poultry at Gallatin County Fair. There weren't many chickens shown at the fair, so we set up displays for the public. The public loved them - and that's how our open show started. People had so many questions but couldn't remember my name, etc. As a result I became known as the "Chicken Lady". Showing chickens looked like fun, so Larry and I gave it a try. It has become a very rewarding hobby. We've made so many friends and it's a joy to care for "pretty" birds that we've bred and raised ourselves. The showing came easy as we had shown horses for many years. All five of our children were in 4-H and had competed in many shows as well. Our children have also participated in rodeo, even advancing to the H.S. National Finals. Our grandchildren are now Poultry Fanciers, as well as learning to rodeo. I've been asked "why chicken shows?" and I say. "they don't buck me off or step on my toes and I'm still winning!!". Anyway, although we have raised and shown many other animals, I can't remember ever being without chickens!! Helping kids with their chickens just comes naturally. I am anxious to help the youth get introduced to the ABA/APA Youth Program.

Koralyn Kibbee is also the Montana APA State Rep, Montana Rep for the Old English Club, Western District Director for the Ameraucana Club and was recently awarded the honor of Master Exhibitor.

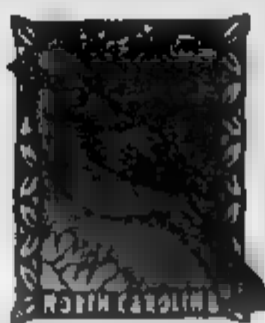


## Beautiful Easter Eggs The Natural Way

Dyeing is the easiest way to color eggs. Making your own natural dye is fun and exciting. Just measure enough water in a saucepan to cover the eggs. Add one tablespoon of white vinegar for each cup of water. Then add your choice of the items listed below to obtain the color you want. The more scraps you add, the darker the color. Simmer eggs for 20 minutes. Have fun!!

Pale Green - spinach leaves  
Pink - beet parings, cranberries  
Orange - yellow onion skins  
Brown - coffee grounds, tea leaves  
Blue - red cabbage leaves, red onion skins  
Greenish Gold - yellow delicious apple parings  
Yellow - orange rind, lemon rind, carrot tops

**Terry Williams**  
**Leader for North Carolina**



# Word Search

Terry Williams became interested in the Poultry Fancy 3 years ago because of his son's desire to raise poultry. They joined the Forsythe Fowl Fanciers and the Guil-Rand Fowl Fanciers. It is through those organizations that they met Ted Carter. Ted served as a mentor to the Williams family and his guidance and encouragement have been instrumental in their continued interest in the Fancy. The Williamses currently raise White, Black and Buff Cochins, White Rocks and White Wyandotts. It was not only his love for poultry that inspired Terry to take on the role of State Leader, but his desire to work with youth. He recognized that the youth members in the Forsythe and Guil-Rand clubs needed leadership. Terry has recruited other adults to help him promote the Program throughout the state of North Carolina. We thank Terry and all his assistants for their efforts. Youth members can reach Terry by mail at 2755 Tabernacle Church Rd. Pleasant Garden, NC 27313 or by phone at (336) 674-6612.

Can you find the following poultry-related words in the word-search puzzle below?

earlobe	laced	egg	bantam
poult	cuckoo	booted	stub
caruncle	leader	luster	pullet
slate	hen	chick	spur
brassiness	bronze	BB Red	nest
inverted spike	ears	lesser sickles	mottled
mulberry	khaki	frizzle-feathered	trio
feather	condition	feather-legged	defect
strain	duckfoot	point	hackle
mossy	keel	beak	covert
breed	vulture hocks	variety	axial
shank	luster	dewlap	comb
class	gamy tail	mealy	wrytail
type	webfoot	gander	goose
duck	cockerel	gypsy	

If any of these words are unfamiliar to you, why not look them up. There is a glossary on pages 5 thru 13 in the American Standard of Perfection that contains nearly all these words. Have fun & learn too.

(For help see puzzle without filler letters on cover page)

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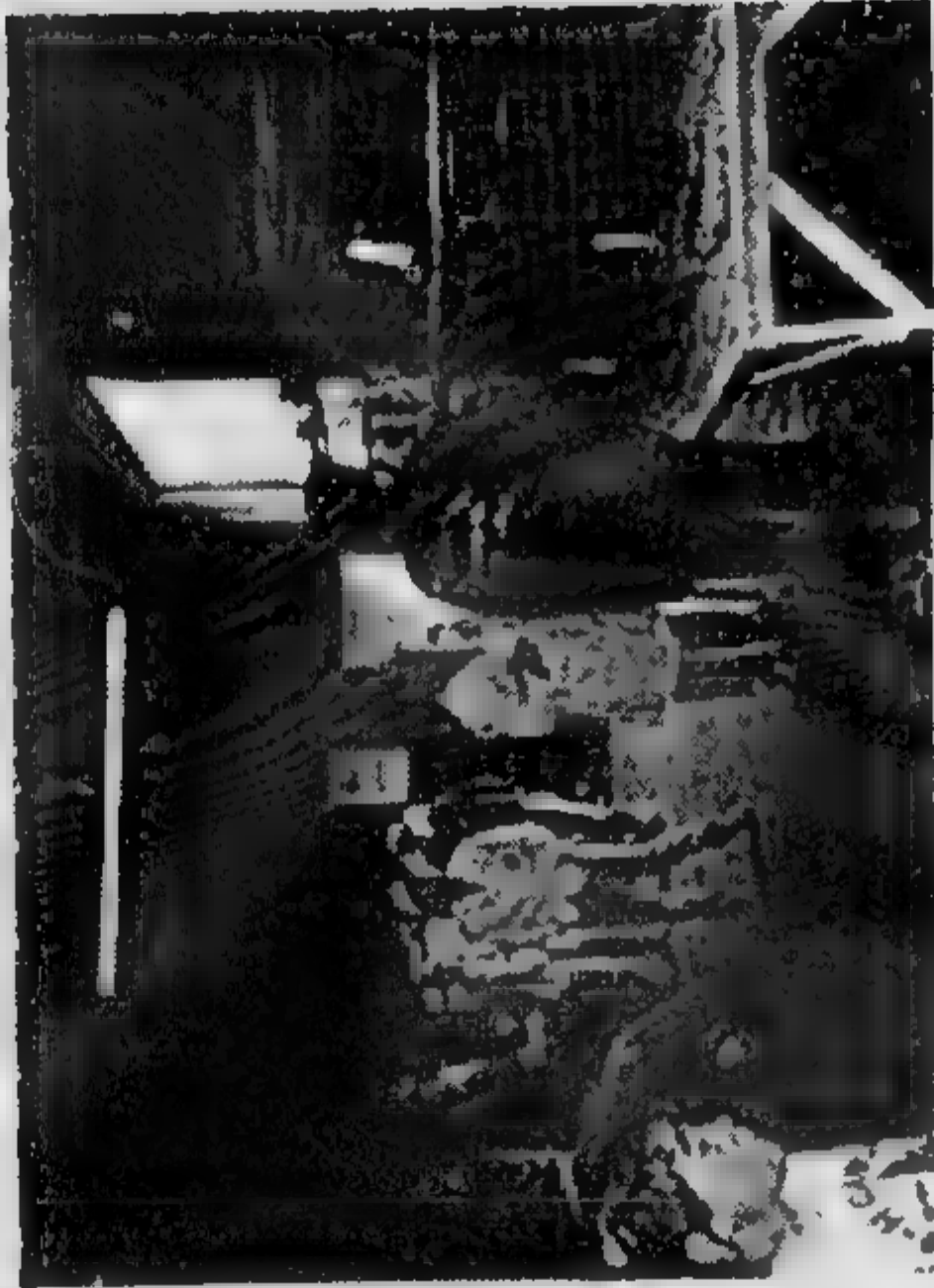
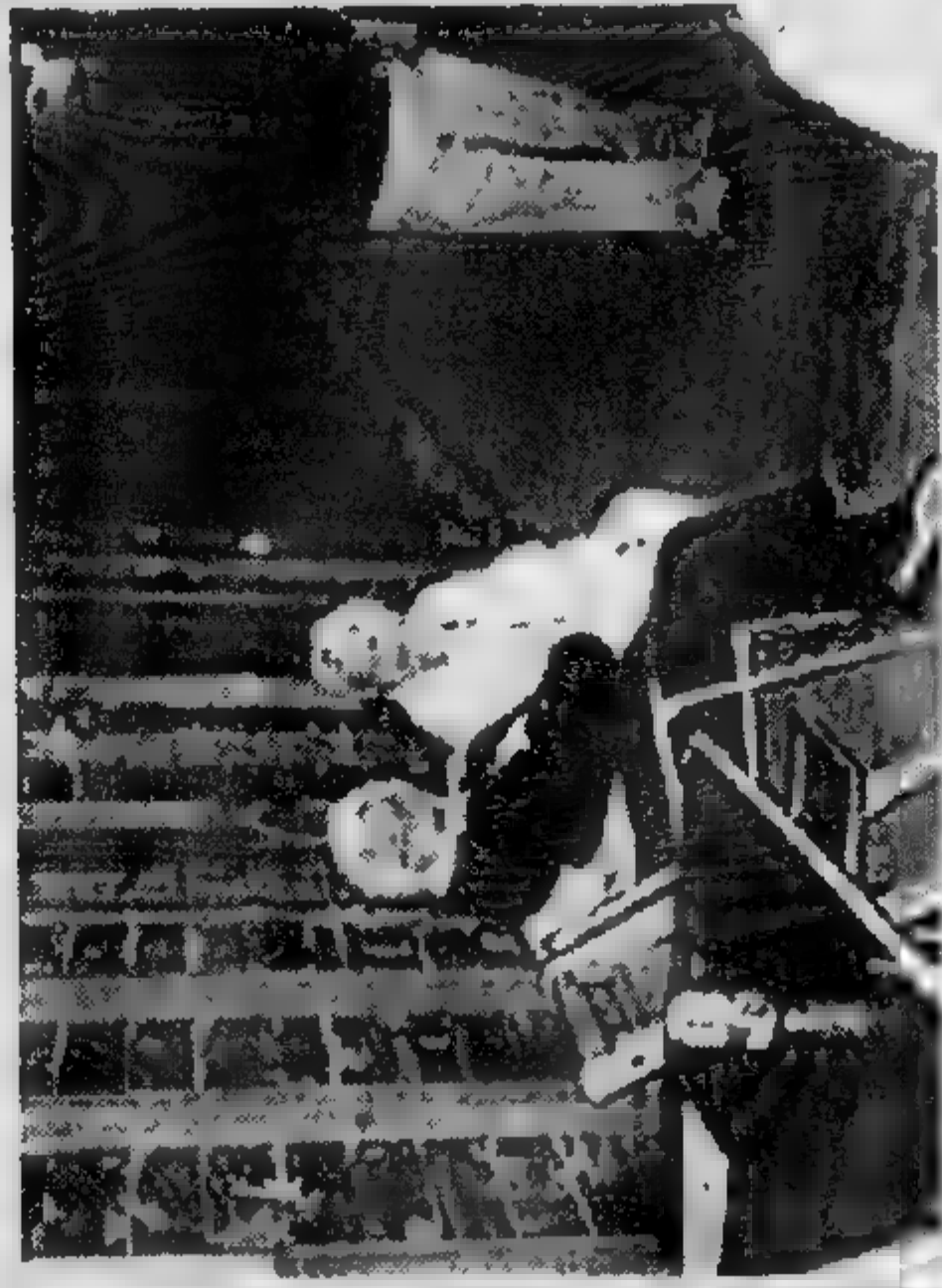
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EASTERN NEW YORK POULTRY ASSOCIATION - (1) SUPER GRAND CHAMPION OF THE SHOW, A WHITE CALL OLD MALE BY ART LJNDGREN (2) LILLIAN MOREY AND BETTY FOLAND ENJOYING THE

DAY (3) RICK HARE, JERRY YEAW AND S. ROBERT POWELL MAKING THEIR FINAL DECISION (EASTERN NEW YORK POULTRY PHOTOS)

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**THE 150<sup>TH</sup> BOSTON  
POULTRY  
3/01 EXPOSITION 23  
By Rebecca  
Buffington, Show Secty**

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The 150th Boston Poultry Show was held on October 28 & 29, 2000 at the Topsfield Fairgrounds, Rt 1, Topsfield, MA. We had four great Judges, Forrest Hooper, S. Robert Powell, Rick Hare, and Rev. Roland Romig. We would like to thank them again for doing a great job. The weather was rather cold and blustery, but we had a good turnout of 98 adult exhibitors and 29 junior exhibitors. The over all bird count was 1490. We had a great turkey show, 10 varieties

for a total of 28 birds. The Champion Turkey was a Bourbon Red Hen shown by Bill Tremblay, Reserve was a Royal Palm Old Tom by Pamela Marshall. The Champion Goose was a Gray Toulouse Old Goose exhibited by Bill Ryan and Reserve was a Gray Toulouse Old Gander by Dennis Roy. The Champion Duck was a White Muscovy Young Drake shown by Steven Blash and Reserve was a White Indian Runner Old Drake by Bonni Cavanaugh. We had 720 Bantams entered and the Champion was a White Wyandotte Pullet exhibited by Ernie & Rose Johnson and the Reserve was a Black Old English Game Cock by Anthony Bezok. We had 238 Large Fowl entered and the Champion was a Buff Cochins Cockerel shown by William West and Reserve was a Black Australorp by Guy Roy. Our Juniors showed 168 birds. Champion Bird of the Show was the White Wyandotte Bantam, owned by Ernie & Rose Johnson, and the Reserve of Show was the Gray Toulouse by Bill Ryan.

Our Junior exhibitors showed 168 birds. The Champion Large Fowl was a Silver Spangled Hamburg shown by Christina Carle, Reserve was a Blue Ameraucana by Christina Carle. The Champion Bantam was a Dominique exhibited by Nadine Freniere and Reserve was a Columbian Plymouth Rock by Barbara Bosworth.

Champion Duck was a Black East Indie by Emelie McCain and Reserve was a Buff Duck by Diana Carle. The Champion Goose was a Sebastopol by Diana Carle. The Champion Pigeon was a Red Modena by Christina Carle and Reserve was a Parlor Roller by Jennie McCain. The Champion Junior Bird was the Black East Indie owned by Emelie McCain. In the Showmanship Classes the Novice winner was Zacharian Armstrong and Reserve was Kyla Mahoney. The Junior winner was Katie Day and Reserve was Andrew King. In the Intermediate class the winner was Barbara Bosworth and Reserve went to Caitlin Brady.

The Show went very smoothly and we would like to thank all our exhibitors for making it a great show and our set-up and tear-down crew, without them we couldn't have such a nice size show. THANK YOU ONE and ALL!



# 150<sup>TH</sup> BOSTON POULTRY EXPOSITION TOPSFIELD, MASSACHUSETTS OCTOBER 28-29, 2000



Stephen Blash  
Muscovy King  
PO Box 592  
North Oxford, MA 01537

**Reserve  
Champion  
Waterfowl**

White Muscovy young male  
**Champion Heavy Duck**  
Champion and Reserve Muscovy  
Thank you to the Rhodes for a great show

**Tony Bezok**  
Reserve Champion  
**Bantam of Show**  
Champion, Old English  
Game Bantam  
Black cock  
11 Gelding Hill Rd  
Sandy Hook, CT 06482  
Birds for Sale

**Cochins**  
Over 100 in class  
Blacks - Reserve  
Featherleg on a pullet  
1RV-3-4-5K, 1-2-4-5P  
Blues 1RV-4-5K, 3-4-5P  
**Charles Anderson**  
1-860-482-4359

Champion American  
3<sup>rd</sup> Best Large Fowl  
New Hampshire pullet  
Reserve SCCL  
New Hampshire pullet  
New Hampshire  
Breeders club watch  
what we do in 2002  
Rick Pimentel  
Rpimentel@ttlc.net

**Third  
Best Duck  
Best Bantam**

**Duck  
Gray pullet  
Reserve  
Bantam Duck  
White old male  
David Touchette**  
1-508-996-1853

**Show Champion**  
Boston Expo  
Champion Bantam  
White Wyandotte pullet  
RV White on a cockerel  
BV Black on a hen  
RV Black on a pullet  
Thank the Lord  
Thank you judges.  
Wonderful Show  
Ernie and Rose  
**Johnson**  
Belmont, Maine  
1-207-342-4738

Congratulations Boston  
Poultry Exposition  
Thank you for a good year  
**Robert Murphy**

What Snow??  
BB Barred Rock Bantam  
Reserve English - Buff  
Orpington Pullet  
Reserve Mediterranean  
White Leghorn pullet  
Russ and Lynne  
Crevoiserat  
Weare, New Hamp



**Says  
Thank You  
Boston  
Poultry  
Exposition**

Beautiful Show - Pleasure to judge  
**Rick Hare - Forrest Hooper**  
**S. Robert Powell**  
**Rev. Roland Romig**

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BOSTON POULTRY EXPOSITION - (1) SUPER GRAND CHAMPION OF THE SHOW AND GRAND CHAMPION BANTAM, A WHITE WYANDOTTE PULLETT BY ERNIE AND ROSE JOHNSON (2) CHAMPION AMERICAN AND THIRD BEST LARGE FOWL, A NEW HAMPSHIRE PULLETT BY RICK

PIMENTAL (3) RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION WATERFOWL, A WHITE MUSCOVY YOUNG MALE BY STEPHEN BLASH (4) RESERVE GRAND CHAMPION BANTAM, A BLACK OLD ENGLISH COCK BY TONY BEZOK (BOSTON POULTRY EXPOSITION PHOTOS)

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**BLOOMSBURG (PA) SHOW**  
**CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA AVIAN CLUB**  
**AUCTION - MAY 5, 2001**  
**POULTRY SHOW - MAY 6, 2001**  
**Show Secretary:**  
**Karen Porr 1-717-774-1926**  
**S. Robert Powell 1-570-282-5197**  
**CCME FIND OUT WHAT'S BLOOMIN' IN BLOOMSBURG**



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Bart:

Received a revised agenda from Pat Malone a couple of days ago and was pleased to see that the item that you sent to Duane Urch (grading of APA exams) has been added under "New Business."

Phoned Duane Urch last night to see if he could transport a Narragansett tom from Ohio to Minnesota. He reported that he will not attend the meetings at Wapakoneta; Dan Karasek will be his proxy.

I'm beginning to wonder if the APA should have the proxy procedure it does (a policy which is in violation of "Roberts' Rules of Order"). I realize that it's not always easy for all the directors to attend all the meetings, but it seems to me that one should not run for the office without having made a serious commitment in advance to attend the meetings.

I liked your article, "Pulling Together." It reminded me of the statement: "All that it takes for the forces of evil to triumph in this world is enough good people to do nothing."

Robert



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Robert;

Pat sent a copy of my proposal to the members of the Licensing committee for their opinion, which is fine. It will be interesting to see what happens with it. Like I said before, it is not life or death but it doesn't seem right to me.

With regard to the proxy business: I have mixed thoughts about it. I agree with you that before you run for an office you need to consider attending the meetings, but I also think it is above and beyond the call of duty to be expected to pay \$800.00 for a plane ticket to attend a meeting. I think we should either eliminate it, to be in accordance with Robert's Rules of Order, or expand on it. The boys from Canada, especially, have the problem that if the director doesn't attend there is a good chance that no one from that area will either. Currently in order to be a proxy you need to be from the same district. If we are going to allow a "representative" then who cares where that "representative" is from? The proxy only votes the way the director wishes so why limit it to people from the same district? I could represent Rico as well as anyone from his district. Anyway, as crazy as this may sound, I would either eliminate the proxy system, or allow anyone to be a proxy. Talk about one extreme to the other, that's me on this issue.

I think the meeting at our Semi-Annual meet will be one of the most important meetings we will have for quite some time.

Thanks,

Bart



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Subject: S. Robert is alive and well.

Date: March 10, 2001 2:18:05 PM EST

To: lcottage1@aol.com [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

March 10

John:

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Black Orpingtons? standards or bantams? I don't think I knew that you had them. That's good news.

What Spring shows are you planning to attend?

Robert

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Subject: Re: Wapakoneta Traveler

Date: March 11, 2001 8:57:47 AM EST

To: srobertpowell@juno.com [Add to Address Book](#)

CC:

Dear Robert,

I have been saving my yellow renewal slip just incase you left the area. I wouldn't renew my membership unless I received your newsy bits.

We are still living under a blanket of snow. Today it is snowing again which will add to our total of 185 inches. I am going broke paying the neighbor every day to plow our driveway.

Well it look like I'm the big orpington bantam breeder in our area. I have with some help from J. Pierce hatch out 30. I am not the one to have great numbers hatched out of any one breed. I really enjoy moderns but they just are not laying at this time.

Hope you had a good trip. Looking foward in read deta's in the APA site.

Keepin hatching.

John R.

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Subject: RE: poultry breeds contacts

Date: March 10, 2001 1:59:24 PM EST

To: [GeorgeofCA@aol.com](mailto:GeorgeofCA@aol.com) [Add to Address Book](#)

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George:

Golden and Silver Campines:

Roger Potter, R. R. 1, Box 1855, McAlisterville, PA 17049

Lakenvelders:

John Buffington, 2685 Horton Street, N. Dighton, MA 02764-1904 508-252-3968

Black Minorcas:

Richard Schock, 3036 Woodruff Road, Boonville, NC 27011

Good luck.

S. Robert Powell

APA District 2 Director

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Thank you. George Levoy

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Subject: Narragansett turkeys

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Pete:

The shipping box has not yet arrived.

I spoke with Duane Urch last night and asked him if he would be willing to transport a Narragansett tom from Ohio back to his place. He reported that he will not attend the semiannual in Ohio and that he will be represented by Dan Karasek as his proxy.

We then got to talking about turkeys and Duane reported that he has some Narragansett toms available now. Perhaps it makes more sense (from a financial point of view) for you to get a tom from Duane Urch?

S. Robert Powell



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**GUINEA FOWL  
MEETING AT  
WAPAKONETA**  
By Rev Romig

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At the APA semiannual at Wapakoneta, OH on March 17-18, there will be a meeting of those persons who are interested in getting Guinea Fowl into the "American Standard of Perfection." The meeting will take place at 11 A.M. on Saturday, March 17. The specific location of the meeting will be announced in the show hall at Wapakoneta.

The meeting will be under the direction of the Rev. Roland Romig. For additional information about this Guinea Fowl project or the meeting in Ohio, contact Rev. Romig at 570-888-2237.

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 <chickenlady1948@hotmail.com>; <ashbrook@telvar.com>  
 Sent: Thursday, March 01, 2001 5:10 PM  
 Subject: your e-mail of February 25th

> Dear Pat,

>

> Thank you for your e-mail letter of February 25th. I am always glad to  
 > hear from A.P.A. members, and that is especially so when I know that  
 > person to be a dedicated breeder and exhibitor like yourself.

>

> I can understand your concern about any matter being brought up time  
 > after time when you think the subject was settled some time ago. Some  
 > of your statements regarding the matter of judges both judging and  
 > showing at the same show are factual, and others are not. So let me  
 > briefly summarize what has transpired to date to set the record  
 > straight.

>

> When this matter was first brought up it was decided to use an OPINION  
 > POLL to determine the thinking of our A.P.A. members regarding the  
 > subject. About three hundred members responded to the OPINION POLL  
 > which was published in the Summer, 1999, NEWS & VIEWS. I wrote a full  
 > page article for the Fall, 1999, NEWS & VIEWS giving the results of the  
 > poll, and 72% of those responding were opposed to judges both judging  
 > and showing at the same show except in emergency situations. In that  
 > same issue of NEWS & VIEWS our Constitution and By-Laws Committee  
 > published a proposed by-law change reflecting the majority opinion

> stated above. That proposed by-law change had not been before the  
> membership long enough for the board to vote on it with finality at  
> Topsfield, MA in October, 1999. We did take a vote it as an "opinion"  
> so the members would know where each officer and director stood on the  
> matter prior to the spring, 2000 election. The results of that vote  
> were published in the Winter, 1999-2000 NEWS & VIEWS. Duane Urch and Vi  
> Halbach voted against, Troy LaRoche abstained, and all others voted in  
> favor of the change.  
>  
> At no time has the membership voted on this by-law change. The  
> membership votes on constitution amendments, and there were five on the  
> spring, 2000 election ballot. Only the board of directors votes on  
> by-law changes or amendments.  
>  
> At the board meeting in Utah, March, 2000, the board of directors did  
> vote to approve the by-law change restricting A.P.A. judges from both  
> judging and showing at the same show. And the results of that vote were  
> published also.  
>  
> We had some new directors take office on April 1st, 2000 that had not  
> been part of any of the previous board discussions regarding this  
> matter. One of them requested that this item be placed on the agenda  
> for the meeting in Woodstock, October, 2000. I was not at that meeting  
> so cannot speak with great accuracy about what did or did not happen at  
> Woodstock, but you are correct in stating that another vote was taken.  
> The board was asked to change our decision to conform with what the  
> A.B.A. had voted regarding judges both judging and showing at the same  
> show. The decision was to stick with our by-law change as voted in Utah  
> the previous March.  
>  
> The matter will be discussed again at Wapakoneta, Ohio in two weeks in a  
> little different vein. The agenda item under NEW BUSINESS is "November,  
> 2000 Ohio National Show - were judges allowed to show in violation of  
> By-Law ARTICLE VII, Section 3, paragraph f?" This will be an  
> enforcement issue rather than a "are we going to vote on this again?"  
> issue. My personal goal as A.P.A. president is to resolve this matter  
> with the Ohio Poultry Breeders so as not to place the planned 2002 Joint  
> National in jeopardy, and I believe this can be accomplished. But I  
> assure you that as long as I am president, I will do everything in my  
> power to see that the above by-law is enforced. It has been duly passed  
> by the board of directors after much thought, discussion, and careful  
> consideration, and as long as it remains in our by-laws it must and will  
> be enforced. To do anything else would be a travesty.  
>  
> I will be happy for you to respond to my answers to you if you would  
> like to do so. At this point I do not see the value of publishing your  
> e-mail letter to me. If the board thinks it a good idea to do so I  
> would publish my response to you as well so that the facts will be  
> accurate regarding what has transpired since mid 1999.  
>  
> Again, thank you sincerely for having the interest and taking the time  
> to express your feelings and views. If I can be of further service to  
> you please let me know.  
>  
> With peace and blessings,  
>  
> Pat Malone



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March 14

Karen:

Two more specials:

Bob Anke

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Andy Rapach (CPAC member; phone number 570-455-9719) phoned me and asked about a pigeon show in conjunction with the May 6 poultry show. He said he would take charge of the pigeon show and I said that I would help him in every way that I can. So, there will be a pigeon show. I contacted Bill Wulff and told him to insert the pigeon show in the CPAC ad for April.

Friday morning at 6 A.M., George Schroeder and I leave for Wapakoneta.

I'm going to try to get Carl Harris into gear for the spring show. We should probably have a CPAC meeting at the fairgrounds at Bloomsburg in mid-April.

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Robert

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Phone message taken by DWP II —  
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Dear Robert,

I have been wondering what happened to you.  
 We all have read your Dist. newsletter with its newsy bits. Great job. I have hatched out a few black orpingtons. I would like to have a few moderns out instead. Hope things are ok with you.

John R.

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Matt:

I'm trying to find someone from Iowa who will be showing at Wapakoneta this weekend who will be willing to transport a Narragansett tom from Ohio back to Iowa. A guy from Perry, IA wants to buy one from me and it would be nice if I can make a connection through the exhibitors list at Wapakoneta.

I'm sure you're very busy in these final days before the show, but if you have a couple of minutes and can send me the names of a couple of Iowa people who will be at Wapakoneta, I would appreciate it. If there are too many things going on for you to find time to answer this question, I assure you that I will understand.

In any event, see you in a couple days.

Robert

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Robert,

I have no exhibitors from Iowa. Sorry, I have attached the exhibitors list in Excel 2000 and you may have a few on it in Western Illinois who may be able to get it that far. Cya this weekend!

Matt

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**To:** Matt CR <mlhamon@crohio.com> [Add to Address Book](#)  
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Monday, March 19

Matt:

Thanks for the copy of the list of exhibitors.

Congratulations on a very nice show. I enjoyed the weekend a great deal.

S. Robert Powell

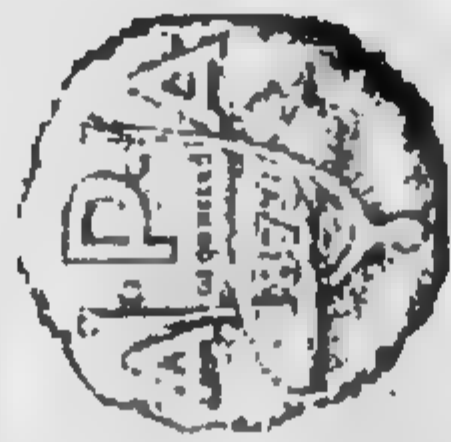
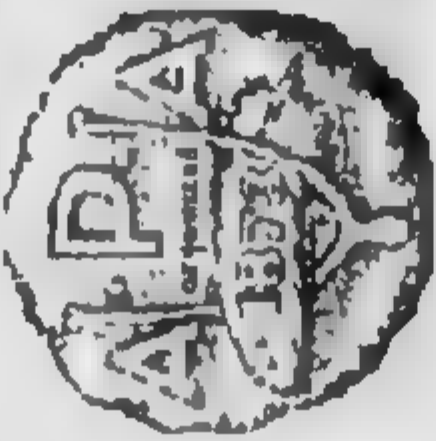


# West Central Ohio Poultry Breeders

Present

Our 4th Annual "Spring Kickoff" Poultry Show  
March 17-18, 2001

at the Auglaize County Fairgrounds in Wapakoneta, Ohio  
in the New Heated Show Arena



WELCOME EVERYONE TO THE "SPRING KICKOFF 2001"

Hosting the AMERICAN POULTRY ASSOCIATION 2001 SEMI-ANNUAL MEET

The officers and members of the West Central Ohio Poultry Breeders invite you and your birds to our Fourth Annual Poultry Show. With winter behind us and "Spring Chicken Show Fever" setting in, we are hoping for a super turnout for our show!

#### Officers and Charter Members

Dallas Mulholland President (419)-221-2599  
Brad Fryer Vice President (419)-667-2302  
Matt Lhamon Sec./Show Sup, (419)-224-9369  
Dallas/Shirley Building & Jr. Show Sup. (419)-221-2599  
Mulholland

Max Stacy Von Markley Tim Jones  
Warren Joseph Bill Sandoe

#### Open Show Judges

Jim Adkins, Paul Montieth, Troy Laroche, Henry Mager, Earl Jones  
Mike Sayre- Jr. Show Judge Mark Lange- Jr. Showmanship Judge

#### Building Open Schedule

Friday March 16 building opens at 10:00am  
building closes at 10:00pm  
Saturday March 17 building opens at 6:00am  
Judging starts at 9:00am sharp!  
building closes at 6:00pm

Sunday March 18 building opens at 8:00am  
Exhibitors will be released after the raffle!!!

#### Parking

Our show will be held in the New Show Arena on the South-west side of the fairgrounds. You may unload your birds in the front of the Show Arena, then park in the available lots.



# WEST CENTRAL OHIO POULTRY BREEDERS- "SPRING KICKOFF 2001"

March 17-18 2001

Wapakoneta, Ohio

1878 Birds

196 Exhibitors from 14 States and Canada

391 Large Fowl

HOSTING THE 2001 AMERICAN POULTRY ASSOCIATION SEMI-ANNUAL MEET

1238 Bantams

Judges: Paul Montieth (Sarnia, Ontario, Canada), Troy Laroche (Georgetown, Ontario, Canada),

236 Waterfowl

Henry Mager (Ohio), Jim Adkins (Montana), Earl Jones (Michigan)

13 Turkeys

Jr. Show Judge: Mike Sayre (Ohio) Jr. Showmanship Judge: Mark Lange (Ohio)

## Welcome and Thanks to all Our Exhibitors, Judges and Crew!!!

### OPEN SHOW

Welcome all the Sumatra Breeders to the ASA National-129 Sumatras!

#	First Name	Last Name	Address	City	State	Zip Code
1	Bill	Wulff	943 North My Lane	Connersville	IN	47331
2	David	Wulff	943 North My Lane	Connersville	IN	47331
3	Jennifer	Wulff-Frank	943 North My Lane	Connersville	IN	47331
4	Samantha	Frank	943 North My Lane	Connersville	IN	47331
5	M & M	Exhibition Poultry	5540 Clum Road	Lima	OH	45806
6	Rose Marie	Isgrigg	59 Longview Hts. Rd	Athens	OH	45701
7	Harold	Knapp	5299 Jerrico Road	E. Bethany	NY	14054
8	Lesa	Rice	6511 Mick Rd.	Benzonia	MI	49616
9	Zelotes	Eschmeyer	05839 Carter Creek Rd.	St. Marys	OH	45885
10	David	Ebersole	2470 Winkel Rd	Eldorado	OH	45321
11	Tommy	Stanley	12009 Yowell Rd	Ashland	VA	23005
12	Milton	Schatz	500 W Creek Rd.	Saint Marys	PA	15857
13	Donna	Schatz	500 W Creek Rd.	Saint Marys	PA	15857
14	Art	Cosnell	11709 Cedar Ridge Rd.	Williamsport	MD	21795
15	George	Shreffler	PO Box 83	Gibsonburg	OH	43431
16	Bill	Bowman	5626 Rudyard Rd	Sylvania	OH	43560
17	Richard	Bond	6043 South Shore Dr.	Unionville	IN	47468
18	Dave and Missy	Eaton	339 CR 1675	Jeromesville	OH	44840
19	Brian	Claybaugh	11245 St. Rt 65	Wapakoneta	OH	45895
20	Wayne	Gritter	7548 W. Ivy Ln.	New Palestine	IN	46163
21	Matt	Haehn	2863 Mechanicsville-Rock Creek	Rock Creek	OH	44084
22	David	Pawel	8101 Gotham Rd.	Garrettsville	OH	44231
23	William	Sandoe	1606 Joe Goldsborough Rd.	Smyrna	DE	19977
24	Dave and Anna	Hartley	4485 Chinguipin Rd.	Springfield	IL	62707
25	Mike and Penny	Collins	5700 Treaty Line Rd.	Portland	IN	47371
26		Ash-Ley Pines	5757 West Fork Rd.	Cincinnati	OH	45247
27	Kristan	Pettit	6396 Gurd Road	Hastings	MI	49058
28	Matt	McCammon	RR 2 Box 98M	Bloomfield	IN	9419
29	Joe	McCammon	2017N CR 700E	Sullivan	IN	47882
30	Max	Stacy	6028 T212	Findlay	OH	45840
31	Twin Cedar Farm		2114 Gun & Rod Club Rd	Houston	DE	19954
32	Tom	Kernan	142 Main St. PO Box 43	Heislerville	NJ	08324
33	Richard & Lawanda	Knox	11857 St. Rt. 121 N	New Paris	OH	45347
34	Robert	Knox	11829 St. Rt 121 N	New Paris	OH	45347
35	Stacy	Howell	17238 Townline Kossuth Rd.	St. Marys	OH	45885
36	Shafer Acre	Fancy Feathers	12989 Def. Pldg. Co Ln. Rd 8	Cecil	OH	45821
37	Mike	Stichler	1120 SR 603	Greenwich	OH	44837
38	Tim & Toni	Smith	5963 Fohl St. SW	Navarre	OH	44662

39	Pete	Akers	300 S. 400 W.	Lebanon	IN	46052
40	Chris	Webster	8122 S. State Rd	Ashley	MI	48806
41	Jessica	Webster	8122 S. State Rd	Ashley	MI	48806
42	Jayne	Wakefield	8122 S. State Rd	Ashley	MI	48806
43	Carol	Foertsch	134 O'Hara Road	Saxonburg	PA	16056
44	Mill Smith	Poultry	4869 St. Rd. 62	Georgetown	IN	47122
45	Dan	Lay	12625 Sidney-Freyburg Rd.	Anna	OH	43502
46	Dr. William	Patterson, DVM	68333 Dequindre	Oakland	MI	48363
47	Robert	Carothers	1652 N 42nd Rd.	Earlville	IL	6170
48	Richard	Hickman	2724 Cedarville Rd.	Millville	NJ	08332
49	Jill, Heather	& Katie Petrie	4737 Miller Road	Celina	OH	45822
50	Debbie	Banks	2331 St. Rd. 1 S	Connersville	IN	47331
51	Jim	Landon	2397 W. 075 S	Hartford City	IN	9528
52	Karen	Schmitt	6410 Morrow Road	Celina	OH	45822
53	Aaron	Schmitt	6410 Morrow Road	Celina	OH	45822
54	Larry	Holmes	PO Box 421	Lynchburg	OH	45142
55	Matt & Tim	Barman	136 Park Rd.	Ft. Recovery	OH	45846
56	Terry	Hogeback	7990 Puckett Rd.	Felicity	OH	45120
57	Dr. V.L.	Patterson	66260 Forest Ave.	Lenox	MI	48050
58	Cindy & Nathan	Jackson	6841 W. Rt. 245	DeGraff	OH	43318
59	Vernice	Bartlett	RR 2 Nanticoke	Ontario	CAN	
60	Gary	Smale	St. Marys	Ontario	CAN	
61	RHB	Anderson	Hagersville	Ontario	CAN	
62	Grady	Robson	Aurora	Ontario	CAN	
63	Dennis	Myers	4225 Sylvan Rd.	Wooster	OH	44691
64	Katie	Schie	2336 Maxon Rd.	Varysburg	NY	14167
65	Danielle	Yobst	113 Blakely Rd.	Butler	PA	16002
66	Jay & Kim	Yobst	113 Blakely Rd.	Butler	PA	16002
67	Kendra	Aldrich	12948 Ring Rd.	Saint Charles	MI	48655
68	Bill	Ziehm	3166 Beebe Rd.	Newfane	NY	14108
69	Mark	Palin	PO Box 541	Memphis	MI	48041
70	Barbara	Piper	2837 Kitter Rd.	Ossineke	MI	49766
71	Tom	Osborne	339 N. Toussaint Portage Rd	Oak Harbor	OH	9454
72	Lewis	Cunningham	PO Box 604	Fayette	OH	0604
73	Caitlin	Hubbard	980 Brewer Rd.	Leonard	MI	48367
74		McDaniel & Hauser	3017 E. St. Rd. 16	Lucerne	IN	46950
75	Don	Lee	11724 Zieman Rd.	Maybee	MI	48159
76	Roger & Charlene	Theurer	7032 S. 700 E.	Union City	IN	47390
77	Greg	Lininger	18390 Maier Barber Rd.	St. Marys	OH	45885
78	Tony	Homan	05887 Wilker Road	New Bremen	OH	45869
79	Bill	Mayer	7606 Hix Road	Westland	MI	48188
80	Butch	Gunderson	N6511 Schwantz Rd	Pardeville	WI	53954
81	A.S.	Dentinger	Box 162	Bloomville	OH	44818
82	Carl	Stough	511 Beardsley Rd.	Galion	OH	44833
83	Gary & Matt	Estep	948 E. Madison St.	Gibsonburg	OH	43431
84	Mark	Regula	55203 TR90	Fresno	OH	43824
85	James	Konecny	10219 Haegers Bend Rd.	Barrington Hills	IL	60102
86	David	West	807 Center	Jackson	MI	49202
87	Janis	Orndorf	11741 Sycamore Rd.	Mt. Vernon	OH	43050



88	Don	Monke	2481 Plain City-Georgesville R	Plain City	OH	43064
89	Brad	Stachler	2810 Wessel Rd	St. Henry	OH	45883
90	Richard	Schock	3036 Woodruff Rd	Booneville	NC	27011
91	Elle	Glueckert	1825 Briar Rd	Niles	MI	8940
92	Eric	Markley	19454 Miller Rd	Wapakoneta	OH	45895
93	Von	Markley	20463 Townline Road	Wapakoneta	OH	45895
94	Tim	Stottlemire	RR 6, Box 166	Marietta	OH	45750
95	Harry & Kathy	Kolacz	13280 Pokagon St.	Mishawaka	IN	46545
96	Andy	Naseman	228 West Spring Street	New Knoxville	OH	45871
97	Julie	Naseman	228 West Spring Street	New Knoxville	OH	45871
98	Toda & Donna	Dennison	3460 W. 450 S.	Shelbyville	IN	46176
99	Wil	Burton	313 Arcadia Ave.	Winston-Salem	NC	27127
100	Kraig	Shafer	1995 Hillville Road	Elida	OH	45807
101	Mark	Lange	18-822 County Road X	Archbold	OH	43502
102	John	deSaavedra	5899 Blacks Rd	Pataskala	OH	43062
103	Tim	Hooker	3667 Stateline Rd.	Poplar Grove	IL	61065
104	Jennifer & Susan	Clark	69012 Tamarack Rd.	Waikerton	IN	46574
105	David & Melissa	Adkins	1988 Cook Road	Lucasville	OH	45648
106	Adkins & Salser					
107	Marilyn	Lowe	10000 Pleasant Valley	Mt. Vernon	OH	43050
108	Richard	Howard	1309 N. Park Ave	Alexandria	IN	46001
109	Bob	Cole	832 Blacks Road	Hebron	OH	43025
110	Jack	Gabbard	6811 E. Chicago	Jonesville	MI	49250
111	Art	Lundgren	2168 Buffalo St. Ext	Jamestown	NY	14701
112	Lewis	Strait	6795 S 200 E	Warren	IN	9247
113	Janet	Flannery	8450 S. 500 W	Silver Lake	IN	46982
114	Curt	Flannery	8450 S. 500 W	Silver Lake	IN	46982
115	Mike	Franklin	58827 Ash Rd	Osceola	IN	46561
116	Bobbie	Philtoff	13224 Pokagon	Mishawaka	IN	46545
117	Kelly	Fox	5400 Schuler Ln.	Prospect	KY	40059
118	Volkers & Stone		15075 Blueberry Ct.	West Olive	MI	49460
119	Jay	Volkers	15075 Blueberry Court	West Olive	MI	49460
120	Briarpatch Farm		5650 Snake Creek Rd	Hillsville	VA	24343
121	Nikki	Riedel	6280 E. Falmouth R	Falmouth	MI	49632
122	Julie	Cieslak	7257 W. 48 Rd	Cadillac	MI	49601
123	Mike	LaGerould	152 Indianside Dr.	Oakland	MI	48363
124	Jan	LaGerould	152 Indianside Dr.	Oakland	MI	48363
125	Chris	LaGerould	152 Indianside Dr.	Oakland	MI	48363
126	Romer Bantams		3144 California Rd.	Okeana	OH	45053
127	Mark	Langerman	2231 Rte 98	Attica	NY	14011
128	Terry & Kris	Wittenburg	16511 Featherstone Rd	Constantine	MI	9769
129	M & J	Poultry	29330 CR 10	Fresno	OH	43824
130	Tim	Bowsher	6561 Walsh Rd	Dexter	MI	48130
131	C. William	Ryan	Box 212	Mayfield	NY	12117
132	Alice	Stanford	N1103 Pechous Lane	Whitewater	WI	53190
133	Brad/Chad	Fryer				
134	Lauren	Ward	11513 Monroe Rd.	Wapakoneta	OH	45895
135	Darlyn	Pepple	2026 Brockhaven Ct.	Lima	OH	45805
136	Tim	Johnson	Weston Road	Weston	OH	



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137 Roy	Stacy			
138 Marty	Schmitt	2492 St. Rt 29	Celina	OH 45822

**Junior Show**

#	First Name	Last Name	Address	City	State	Zip Code
200	Kami	Ebersole	2470 Wikel Rd.	Eldorado	OH	45321
201	Lance	Griffith	6635 Studebaker Rd	Tipp City	OH	45371
202	Jessica	Griffith	6635 Studebaker Rd	Tipp City	OH	45371
203	Thomas	Dean, Jr.	13933 Simpson Rd	Greenville	MI	48838
204	Richard	Dean	13933 Simpson Rd	Greenville	MI	48838
205	Dan	Shaffer III	13594 Lyons Hwy	Sand Creek	M'	49279
206	Delbert	Shaffer	13594 Lyons Hwy	Sand Creek	M.	49279
207	Joni	Collins	5700 Treaty Line Rd	Portland	IN	47371
208	Issac	Collins	5700 Treaty Line Rd.	Portland	IN	47371
209	Kristan	Pettit	6396 Gurd Road	Hastings	MI	49058
210	Pete	Akers	300 S 400 W	Lebanon	IN	46052
211	Jayne	Wakefield	8122 S. State Rd	Ashley	MI	48806
212	Jessica	Webster	8122 S. State Rd	Ashley	MI	48806
213	Andy	Patterson	68333 Dequindre	Oakland	MI	48363
214	Katie & Collen	Petrie	4737 Miller Road	Celina	OH	45822
215	Donald	Kleman	21414 SR 189	Ft. Jennings	OH	45844
216	Andy	Kleman	21414 SR 189	Ft. Jennings	OH	45844
217	Todd	Kleman	21414 SR 189	Ft. Jennings	OH	45844
218	Ben	Kleman	21414 SR 189	Ft. Jennings	OH	45844
219	Adam	Kleman	21414 SR 189	Ft. Jennings	OH	45844
220	Amanda	Schmitt	6410 Morrow Rd.	Celina	OH	45822
221	Aaron	Schmitt	6410 Morrow Rd.	Celina	OH	45822
222	Briana & Noelle	Schmitt	6410 Morrow Rd.	Celina	OH	45822
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224	Josh	Obringer	111 South Mill St.	Coldwater	OH	45825
225	Ben	Theurer	7032 S. 700 E.	Union City	IN	47390
226	Hannah	Cox	2614 Lick Run Rd.	Chillicothe	OH	45601
227	Bradley	Mallory	3420 Baker-Williams	Corinth	KY	41010
228	Joshua	Hauser	3017 E. St. Rd. 16	Lucerne	IN	46950
229	Caitlin	Hubbard	980 Brewer Rd.	Leonard	MI	48367
230	Nathan	Hubbard	980 Brewer Rd.	Leonard	MI	48367
231	Katelyn	Yeager	8390 East ST RT 40	New Carisle	OH	45344
232	Nathan	Yeager	8390 East ST RT 40	New Carisle	OH	45344
233	Kyall	Aldrich	12948 Ring	St. Charles	MI	48651
234	Merissa	Aldrich	12948 Ring	St. Charles	MI	48651
235	Danielle	Yobst	113 Blakley Rd.	Butler	PA	16002
236	Storme	Stewart	14 Wolf Branch Rd.	Greenbrier	AR	72058
237	Nathan	Jackson	6941 W. Rt. 245	Degraff	OH	43318
238	Laura	Green	645 Lugabil Road	Bluffton	OH	45801
239	Garth	Regula	55203 TR 90	Fresno	OH	43824
240	Travis	Regula	55203 TR 90	Fresno	OH	43824
241	Eric	Wendel	1702 Township Line Rd	St. Henry	OH	45883
242	Marcus & Ashley	Howell	15408 Kruse Road	Wapakoneta	OH	45895
243	Jake	Glueckert				
244	Alexandria	Mayo	2887 Hillgrove Woodington Rd	Greenville	OH	45331
245	Brittany	Mayo	2887 Hillgrove Woodington Rd	Greenville	OH	45331
246	Emily	Lhamon	5540 Clum Roac	Lima	OH	45806
247	Loretta	Rodts	13224 Pokagon	Mishawaka	IN	46545
248	Matthew	Flannery	8450 S. 500 W	Silver Lake	IN	46982
249	Courtney	Flannery	8450 S. 500 W	Silver Lake	IN	46982
250	Jessica	Ogle	54108 TR 173	Fresno	OH	43824
251	Zach	Ogle	54108 TR 173	Fresno	OH	43824
252	Katelin	McKnight	2501 Newland Ridge Road	Waverly	OH	45690
253	Michelle	Dennison	3460 W. 450 S.	Shelbyville	IN	46176

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255	Alice	Stanford	N1103 Pechous Lane	Whitewater	WI	53190
256	Zach	Neuman	11513 Monroe Rd.	Wapakoneta	OH	45895
257	Alex	Neuman	11513 Monroe Rd.	Wapakoneta	OH	45895

## Thanks Purina Feeds for Sponsoring our Junior Show

### Bantams

#### OPEN SHOW

Modern-30  
OE-134  
RCCL-259  
SCCL-270  
AOCCL-94  
Feather Legged-227

### Large Fowl

#### 1558 Open Show Birds

American-102  
Asiatic-59  
AOSB-97  
Cont-27  
Med-35  
English-29

### Water Fowl

Heavy Ducks-43  
Medium Ducks-33  
Light Ducks-18  
Bantam Ducks-52  
Heavy Geese-18  
Medium Geese-5  
Light Geese-15

### Turkeys

Turkeys-11

#### JUNIOR SHOW

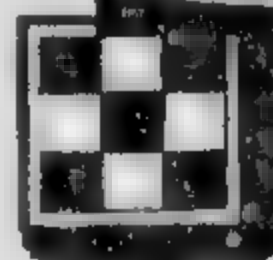
Modern-12  
OE-39  
RCCL-27  
SCCL-52  
AOCCL-16  
Feather Legged-78

#### 320 Junior Show Birds

American-6  
Asiatic-19  
AOSB-1  
Cont-5  
Med-3  
English-8

Heavy Ducks-10  
Medium Ducks-2  
Light Ducks-6  
Bantam Ducks-16  
Heavy Geese-2  
Medium Geese-10  
Light Geese-6

Turkeys-2



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## BEST WESTERN WAPAK

JR FAIR SHOW HALL

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AMERICAN SUMATRA ASSOCIATION  
JR FAIR SHOW HALL

APA GENERAL MEETING  
JR FAIR SHOW HALL

SAT MARCH 17-8:00-10:00 PM  
YOUTH PART VAPAK YMCA



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James Andrew

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Ernest Ingham



# 2001 A.P.A. SEMI ANNUAL CONVENTION

Agenda – Officer's and Director's Meeting

Best Western Motel – Wapakoneta, Ohio

Friday, March 16<sup>th</sup>, 2001, 7:00 p.m.

Meeting called to order – Pat Malone

Prayer – Nona Shearer

Welcome – District #3 Director, Lewis Cunningham

Minutes from the 2000 Annual Meeting in Woodstock, Ontario, October 20<sup>th</sup>, 2000

Bids for 2003 Semi Annual (from Group #2 – Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Michigan, Mississippi, North Carolina, Ontario Canada, South Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia, Wisconsin)

Correspondence

## REPORTS:

Secretary and Treasurer Reports – Lorna Rhodes

Judge License Committee – Ernie Durb

Standard of Perfection Committee – Sam Brush

Yearbook Committee – Lorna Rhodes & Robert Powell ←

APA/ABA Joint Youth Committee – Mike & Janet Miller

Membership Committee – Robert Powell ←

Other committee reports as needed – Constitution & By-Laws, Internet, Art Competition, Property Preservation, Show Awards, ETL Investment, Legislative, Show Awards, Standard Unification, Finance Ways & Means

## OLD BUSINESS:

Proposal that the Legislative Committee be a permanent APA Committee – Sam Brush

Possible APA involvement with NPIP (Sam Brush to investigate)

Other

## NEW BUSINESS:

Commercial ads in NEWS & VIEWS (see enclosed e-mail exchange)

Old APA minutes/records to National Agricultural Library in Beltsville, MD – Vi Halbach

Showing borrowed birds – Nona Shearer

November, 2000 Ohio National Show – were judges allowed to show in violation of By-law ARTICLE VII, Section 3, paragraph f? – Robert Powell (see enclosed notes and correspondence) ↗

Acceptable and unacceptable judges – Robert Powell (see enclosed notes)

Should the APA draft a "letter of support" for use by an individual who is encountering difficulty raising birds because of zoning regulations or ordinances? – Robert Powell (see enclosed notes)

Guidelines and procedures for poultry clubs interested in hosting annual or semi annual meets – Robert Powell (see enclosed notes) ↗

Should the APA draft a "letter of support" (also guidelines and procedures) for use by an exhibition breeder encountering difficulties from animal rights groups? – Robert Powell (see enclosed notes) ↗

Any other items to come before the board (give to the chairman in writing at the beginning of the meeting)

NOTE: Our extended board meeting will be Saturday following the general membership meeting.

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February 10, 2001

Dear Pat:

Here is a list of agenda items for the meeting of the Directors at the semiannual at Wapakoneta on March 16. (As a backup to this electronic copy, I will mail to you, today, a paper copy of this list of agenda items.)

1. Judges showing and judging at the same show. Did this happen at last fall's Columbus show? If so, it's a violation of Article VII, Section 3f of the APA's By-Laws. A show that is sponsored by a club that allows judges to both judge and show at that show can not be regarded by the APA as officially sanctioned. The APA can not, therefore, accept the show report for that show from that club.
2. "Acceptable" and "unacceptable" judges. The APA can not accept a show report from a club that sponsors a show that is judged by "unacceptable" judges. Either a judge has an APA license or he/she does not. A show sponsored by a club that hires an "unacceptable" judge for that show can not be regarded by the APA as officially sanctioned. The APA can not, therefore, accept the show report for that show from that club.
3. Should the APA draft a "letter of support" for use by an individual who is encountering difficulty in raising birds because of zoning regulations or ordinances? (birds can be successfully raised in urban areas; raising and showing exhibition poultry is a hobby; please give the fancier in question an opportunity to demonstrate that exhibition poultry, like dogs and cats, can find a niche/fit into most neighborhoods, etc.)
4. Should the APA produce a list of guidelines and procedures that poultry clubs who are interested in hosting annual or semiannual meets of the APA could use in preparing to host an annual or semiannual meet of the APA (selecting a host motel, getting local support, getting discounts on the local level, advertising, getting the local chamber of commerce involved)? What are the responsibilities of the local club? What are the responsibilities of the APA?

5. The APA Membership Committee (Powell, Shearer, Yeaw) have produced a draft of a membership recruitment flyer that they would like to present to the Board for review and comment.
6. APA Yearbook Committee (Rhodes, Merlin, Rachels, Stevens, Zillich, Powell) report
7. Should the APA draft a "letter of support" for use by an individual who is encountering difficulty in raising birds because of animal rights groups (most exhibition poultry fanciers consistently follow humane management and exhibition procedures; please give the fancier in question the opportunity to demonstrate to all that his/her birds are not inhumanely treated). Should the APA produce a list of guidelines and procedures that an individual who is confronted by an animal rights group might use in his/her defense?

I look forward to working with you and the other officers and directors at Wapakoneta on behalf of the APA.

Sincerely,



S. Robert Powell



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 Dept. of Agriculture and Natural Resources  
 Delaware State University  
 1200 N. DuPont Highway  
 Dover, DE 19901  
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Robert,  
 The deadline for postmark is March 26. We look forward to having you  
 come down again.

Rich

↑ I will attend  
 with Bob Anke —  
 and maybe  
 George  
 Schroeder

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Robert;

How did the meeting go?

Bart

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Well things are perking along for the spring show. Yesterday we picked up the belt buckles for class champions. I got the 3 major champion awards last December. The judges are hired (Dick Greubel, Mike Waski and Brian Knox). I am making hotel reservations today for the judges and us at the McGee. Yes, a check to cover expenses already incurred and to be incurred shortly would be great!

Since we have advertised that there will be a fall show I am willing to be show secretary. However, I'm not sure that I am willing to keep doing two shows a year. In addition, I'm not sure the expenses are worth it if we have a show as small as last year's fall show. We need a club meeting Sunday afternoon of the show weekend to discuss and decide.

What cages will the pigeon show use? Need to know for show set up. I anticipate as usual we will arrive mid afternoon on Saturday for set up. Plan on having dinner at Russell's (as usual) and inviting the judges - if you would like to come along we would welcome your company. Let me know.

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Bart:

The Directors meeting went well.

Effective immediately, if the Columbus group, or any other poultry club, allows a judge to both judge and show, the APA will regard the show in question as non-sanctioned and will not accept the show report. No points will be awarded to anyone.

Given the fact that the exhibitors who showed at Columbus last Fall did so in good faith (never suspecting that the show management would violate the APA's by-laws by allowing judges to both show and judge), the Board decided not to penalize the exhibitors at that show, and so points earned at that show will be awarded.

On the matter of Halbach and Mager judging and showing at Columbus: The Board said that Halbach was covered by the clause "... except in an emergency situation, as determined by the show committee." Mager was in clear violation of the by-laws. He will be reprimanded in writing by the judges licensing committee.

On the matter of scoring judge apprentices exams: All agreed that the exams should be graded more quickly. I believe the conclusion was that the exams should be scored and the candidates notified within 30 days of the exam. Nona (I think it was) said that "even though the exams appear to be objective, they're not. With some questions there's a degree of subjectivity involved." I disagree. An answer is either true or false. A specific feature of a bird is either a "defect," a disqualification," or "ideal." I don't see any reason why an exam couldn't be graded and the candidate notified of the results on the same day that he or she takes the exam.

The 2003 semiannual will be hosted by the Virginia Poultry Breeders Association.

No commercial ads will be allowed in "News and Views." No ads from cockfighting groups will be accepted by the APA for the APA Yearbook.

Vi Halbach was given permission to send the old APA minutes to the National Agricultural Library in Beltsville, MD

The Board approved of S. Robert Powell's membership recruitment flyer and will make available copies of the flyer at shows and through the APA office.

Powell was given a green light to draft letters of support from the APA for use by individuals encountering difficulties with zoning regulations and/or animal rights groups. Powell was also given permission to draft a list of



guidelines and procedures for use by poultry clubs who are interested in hosting annual or semiannual meets of the APA. Powell will present drafts of these documents to Board members before the annual meeting in Nebraska.

The Legislative Committee will be a permanent committee, the three members of which shall be chosen by the Board of Directors.

Sam reported that the corrections to the ASOP have been made and that the next printing of the book should be available by mid-year.

Saxony ducks and Black Dutch bantams approved for admission to the ASOP.

That's about it, as I recall.

I enjoyed the weekend a lot, even though it was a long drive (660 miles each way). The show was nice, even though the aisles were much too narrow--probably three feet wide at best. It was almost impossible to see the birds on the bottom row, and the lighting was not the best.

George Schroeder was thrilled to get the honor/lifetime achievement award, in spite of the fact that Mrs. Halbach did a very poor job of presenting the award.

My understanding was that I would present George with the award on behalf of the APA. Mrs. Halbach, however, decided that she would make the presentation. She couldn't even remember George's name. Afterwards, George said to me: "Who was that woman, anyway. She shouldn't have been the one giving me the award. It should have been you making the presentation. She doesn't even know me."

I said nothing at all at the presentation. My carefully prepared presentation went un-stated and un-heard. I had with me several hundred copies of a "George Schroeder commemorative flyer" that I had planned to distribute to all present after the presentation. I didn't distribute any of them. Rather, I mailed them to a couple hundred people when I got back to Pennsylvania. You should get one in the mail in a couple of days with the current issue of the "CPAC Newsletter."

The Guinea Fowl meeting went well. There's lots of interest in the project, even though there were only about 10 of us at the meeting at Wapakoneta.

Robert

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Hey Robert,

Was I ever tired out when I got home from Wapakoneta. Showing 34 big birds and delivering 28 more is a chore. Had 77 points at that show, never had that many before. The turnout of largefowl was pretty impressive.

Richard

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Richard:

George Schroeder and I headed East early on Sunday morning, and I haven't talked with anyone about the show since then. So I don't yet know what birds were the big winners. Seventy-seven points! Congratulations. Many of the big winners in the show must belong to you. It won't be long before you're a Hall of Fame exhibitor.

Most of the shows that I attend are four or five hours away. Wapakoneta was 12 hours one way. That's too much driving for me--even though I had to be there (directors meeting) and wanted to be there (George Schroeder presentation).

George Schroeder had a wonderful time and was thrilled to receive the Honor/Lifetime Achievement award.

For months, it was my understanding that I would present George with the award on behalf of the APA. Mrs. Halbach, however, decided that she would make the presentation--and I don't think she did a very good job of it. She couldn't even remember his name. Afterwards, George said to me: "Who was that woman, anyway. She shouldn't have been the one giving me the award. It should have been you making the presentation. You're the director for my district and you know me. She doesn't even know my name."

I said nothing at the presentation, as you know. My carefully prepared presentation went un-stated and un-heard. I had with me several hundred copies of a George Schroeder commemorative flyer that I had planned to distribute to all present after the presentation. Given the fact that I had been so abruptly short stopped by Mrs. Halbach, I didn't distribute any of them. Rather, I mailed them to several hundred people (one of them I sent your way) when I got back to Pennsylvania.

Delmarva is two weeks away. My guess is that I'll see you there.

Robert



**George H. Schroeder,**  
outside the poultry building  
at the Wayne County (PA)  
Fair, August 2000.  
Photo by S. Robert Powell

**George H. Schroeder**  
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## **George H. Schroeder: Poultry Breeder, Exhibitor, Promoter, and Judge**

American Poultry Association Honor/Lifetime Achievement Award, presented to George H. Schroeder (Prompton, PA) at the APA semiannual meet, March 17-18, 2001, Wapakoneta, OH, by S. Robert Powell, APA District 2 Director

- Breeder and exhibitor of White Cochin bantams (bloodline of Art V. Granger, South Bend, IN), 1940's and 1950's. In 1955, at Jamestown, NY show, won for the third time the New York/ABA Gold Trophy for the best cock, hen, cockerel, pullet, and trio of one variety. Trophy previously won at New York Show in January 1949 and December 1949. Trophy retired on George Schroeder's third win. Four engravings of George Schroeder's White Cochin bantams, shown here, were created by Arthur O. Schilling. George's White Cochins were described by Arthur Schilling as being "silver white/dominant white—with no yellowish cast whatsoever."
- Breeder and exhibitor of Black Cochin bantams (bloodline of D. Ross Blanford, Kansas City and Albuquerque), 1960's through



## SCHROEDER'S WHITE COCHIN BANTAMS



1ST PRIZE WHITE COCHIN BANT. COCKEREL  
BOSTON 100TH. CENTENNIAL, JAN. 1948  
CHAMP. WHITE COCHIN MALE A.B.A. MEET.  
BRED AND OWNED BY,  
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The last National Meet of the American Bantam Association, held at the 100th Boston Show, brought out one of the hottest classes of white Cochin Bantams ever shown (79 Birds).

Our birds placed as follows:

- 5th, 6th Cock—Class of 13
- 1st Hen—Class of 11
- 1st, 2nd, 4th, 6th Cockerel—Class of 14
- 2nd, 3rd, 4th Pullet—Class of 11
- 3rd, 5th Young Trio—Class of 7
- (Did not show any old trios)

Our First Cockerel was placed Champion White Cochin Bantam Male.

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### GEORGE H. SCHROEDER

Box 5H

Honesdale, Pa.

1990's. Named Master Breeder and Exhibitor (#174) of Black Cochins by the American Bantam Association in 1994.

- Life member of APA, first joined about 1940; general licensed judge, #868, issued July 5, 1949, at Honesdale, PA, by Harvey C. Wood (Light Brahmas), Newton, NJ. In 1950, at the request of Paul Ives, George Schroeder judged the national Plymouth Rock meet at Boston, and with that he began a 50-year career as one of the most highly respected poultry judges in America.
- Poultry Superintendent, Wayne County Fair, 1950-1990, 2000-present (his predecessor was Frank W. Schuerholz; Richard Laabs was superintendent, 1990-1999); president of the Wayne County Fair, 1990-1999.
- Charter member of the Wayne County Poultry Fanciers' Association ("the Cockey Crowd")—an innovative, adventuresome, and courageous group of poultry fanciers, and very probably the most celebrated poultry association in America in the 1940's and 1950's. The Cockey Crowd sponsored not only the 17 widely renowned Honesdale Summer Shows in the period 1942-1959, but also hosted, in Honesdale, the 76th national meet and convention of the APA (June 21-25, 1949) and four semiannual meets (1949, 1952, 1954, and 1955) of the ABA in the seven-year period beginning in 1949.
- When not raising a family or raising, promoting, and showing poultry, George Schroeder worked (40 + hours a week) as a Field Representative for Limestone Products Corporation, Newton, NJ, starting in 1950.
- Elected for an unprecedented two terms as president of the Pennsylvania Poultry Federation

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## 1949

### **76<sup>th</sup> Annual Meet and Convention of the APA, 3<sup>rd</sup> ABA Semiannual meet, June 21-25, 1949; Honesdale Summer Show, June 26, 1949**

- George Schroeder served as an officer of the WCFA which, backed by the entire community, hosted the joint APA and ABA meets; he also served as the show manager for the 7<sup>th</sup> Honesdale Summer Show—660 birds in the show, which were evaluated by 50 judges,



#### SCENES FROM THE HONESDALE PARADE

A.B.A. Officials—middle pictured car, left to right, A. B. Turner, Mrs. Alice A. Roberts; bottom pictured car, left to right, George Fitterer, F. L. Gary and Honorary Life Member John Kriner, Sr.

**Honesdale Poultry Parade, Saturday, June 25, 1949.** Parade Chairman was Robert Southerton. George Fitterer: "The big Saturday Parade did take place after the heavy rain just about wrecked many of the handsome floats. The boys of Honesdale had available for the A.B.A. officials as many open convertible autos as we needed. . ." C. E. Harrington: "At 3 P.M. the fire sirens were sounded to start the parade and at 3:00 the thunderstorm started. Honesdale had been without rain for 37 days and it took this big parade to bring it. In less than one hour, two inches of rain fell."



among whom were Frank Conway, Marcus Davidson, Paul Ives, John Kriner, Sr., Ben Ricketts, Arthur Schilling, Harold Tompkins, and John Wunderlich. Exhibitors from 33 states and two Canadian provinces showed their birds in this show, which was attended by 2,500 persons. 350 people attended the Saturday night poultry banquet.

- WCFA organized and sponsored a Poultry Parade down Main Street, Honesdale, June 25, 1949: 16 bands and drum and bugle corps, 50 floats, fire equipment, antique cars, cavalry, the color guard of veterans groups, Boy and Girl Scouts, a troop of mounted police, 3 companies of infantry, town officials, a float on which were displayed James Rutherford's celebrated standard Columbian Rocks, open convertibles in which rode ABA and APA officials. Ten thousand people lined the street for the poultry parade.
- APA conceives the idea of APA Master Breeder certificate at Honesdale convention.
- Harold Johnson (Acton, ME) composed an APA band march for the occasion of the APA meet and convention in Honesdale.
- F. L. Gary: "The receipts taken in [by the ABA] at this show [June 26] surpassed any and all past shows during the 35 years of the A.B.A. So again, hats off, this time to the Honesdale Summer Show."
- F. L. Gary: "Several old timers told us that this was the greatest convention of the American Poultry Association that they ever attended." Harry Atkins, Secretary of the APA: "Never in the 78 years of the A.P.A. has such a delegation been introduced with more enthusiasm than at this 76<sup>th</sup> convention."

## 1952

### **ABA Semiannual convention, June 21, Pennsylvania Room, Hotel Allen, Honesdale**

- George Schroeder served as an officer of the WCFA, which hosted the ABA meet; he also served as the supervisor of judging at the 10<sup>th</sup> Honesdale Summer Show, June 21-22: 750 birds in the show, which was judged by 50 judges, among whom were Charles Burmaster, Dan Bristol, Alex Duffy, Preston Merchant, and John VanDyke.
- ABA conceives the idea of licensing judges and appoints a committee, chaired by George Schroeder to establish "a new complete set of rules and regulations for the licensing of bantam judges by the American Bantam Association"; the Committee (George Schroeder, Alice Roberts, and Robert Turner) submitted a report that was adopted by the ABA on 01-23-1953. The following year, on June 21, 1953, Alice Roberts was awarded ABA Judging License #1 at the Honesdale Summer Show.

- Pilgrim Geese, which were brought back from the brink of extinction by Paul Ives, were spotlighted, "Pilgrims on Parade," at the 1952 Honesdale Summer Show, in which 48 Pilgrims were shown. The managers of the Pilgrim show were Warren Smith and R. C. Wildenstein. Mrs. Greta Haldt had the best Pilgrim in the show. At this same show, a bantam "Wyandotte Jamboree" (Robert Southerton, manager) was also featured. A young man by the name of B. R. Bortner won with a White Wyandotte bantam cock. In the minutes of the meetings of the Cocky Crowd we read the following about Bortner's win: "It was a great sight to see a youngster like Bortner take over the old timers who found that a kid could show them how."
- Paul Ives named the first Honorary Life Member of the Cocky Crowd, which was established on September 25, 1941, as a result of a suggestion made by Paul Ives, who judged the Wayne County Fair poultry show that year. Minutes of Cocky Crowd meetings: "Many of the ideas and innovations fostered by the Wayne County Fanciers' Association originated in the mind of their esteemed friend, Paul Ives. . . Through Paul Ives we have learned that the most important part of a poultry show is the exhibitors and not, as is generally supposed, the exhibits."

## 1954

### ABA Semiannual convention, June 19, Banquet Room, Park Hotel

- George Schroeder served as an officer of the WCFA, which hosted the ABA meet; he also served as the supervisor of judging at the 12<sup>th</sup> Honesdale Summer Show, June 19-20, which was dedicated to Arthur O. Schilling, who was named an Honorary Life Member of the Cocky Crowd. Fifty judges evaluated the 750 birds in the show. There were 500 visitors from 23 states at the show. The 750 birds in the show were evaluated by a panel of 30 judges, among whom were Dr. Paul Seibert, John Vanderwort, George Davies, Ken Bowles, and Henry Ahlf.
- A "Leghorn Jamboree" and a "Red King of the World Coronation" / "Red Bantam King of the World Coronation" were featured at the show.
- Harold Johnson (Acton, ME) wrote a band march, titled "Cocky Crowd March," which he played at the Saturday night banquet in 1954. At this banquet F. L. Gary (president of the ABA) remarked: "It would be a terrible thing in a fancier's life not to be able to come to the Honesdale Summer Show."

## 1955

### ABA Semiannual convention, June 18, Banquet Room, Park Hotel

- George Schroeder served as an officer of the WCFA, which hosted the ABA meet; he also served as the supervisor of judging at the 13<sup>th</sup> Honesdale Summer Show, June 18-19, which was dedicated to John C. Kriner and Maurice F. Delano, both of whom were made Honorary Life Members of the Cockey Crowd. There were 600 birds in the show, which were exhibited by 122 fanciers. Among the 50 judges who evaluated the birds were Paul Bentz, Harry Kauffman, Charles Post, Mrs. Alice Roberts, and Arthur O. Schilling. Featured in the show were a "Red King of the World Coronation," a "Red Bantam King of the World Coronation"; and a "Cornish Jamboree."
- At the beginning of the ABA convention, George Schroeder gave the address of welcome to the ABA, on behalf of the Wayne County Fanciers' Association and the city of Honesdale.
- George Schroeder awarded the ABA/New York Gold Trophy (cast in bronze and gold plated) on White Cochin bantams by George Fitterer, secretary of the ABA; trophy put up by ABA in 1934 and won by Schroeder in January 1949 (New York), December 1949 (New York) and 1955 (Jamestown). Trophy retired with George's third win (1955).

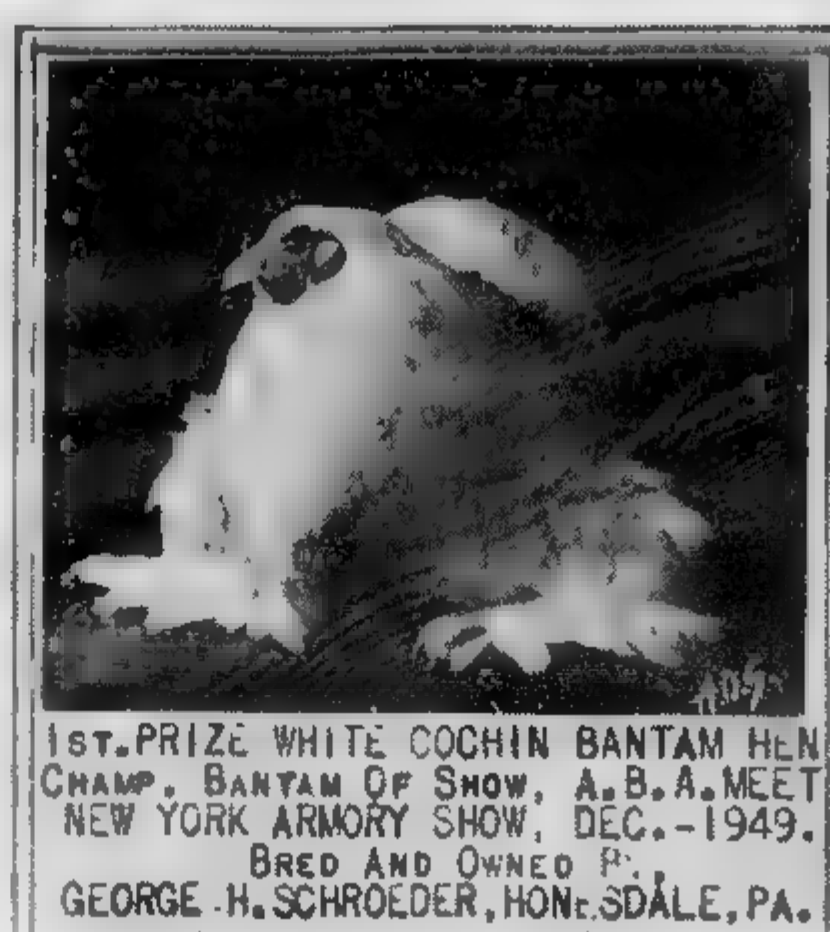
### WAYNE COUNTY FANCIERS ASSN.



"A Cockey Crowd"



# SCHROEDER'S WHITE COCHIN BANTAMS



It gives me a great amount of satisfaction that after twenty-one years of competition the New York-A.B.A. Gold Trophy has been retired. This Trophy was first put up for competition at the 1934 New York Poultry Show. Mr. George Fitterer, Secretary of our American Bantam Association, presented it to me at our 1955 Honesdale Summer Show. We now have this beautiful Trophy in our home and it brings back many wonderful memories of the keen competition and the many friends we made along the way. The following is a record of the wins our birds made in winning this Trophy.

NEW YORK SHOW, JANUARY 1949, National Meet American Cochin Bantam Club. 1-2-3 Cock, 1-2 Hen, 1 Old Trio, 1-2-3-4-5 Cockerel, 1-2-3-4-5 Pullet, 1-2 Young Trio. Champion Cochin Male, Champion Cochin Young Trio, Best Display Cochin Bantams.

NEW YORK SHOW, DECEMBER 1949, National Meet, American Bantam Association. 1-2 Cock, 1-2 Hen, 2-3 Cockerel, 1-4 Pullet, 1 Old Trio, 1 Young Trio. Grand Champion Bantam, Grand Champion Trio.

JAMESTOWN, NEW YORK, 1955. 1-2 Cock, 2-3 Hen, 1-2-3-4-5 Cockerel, 1-2-3 Pullet, 1 Young Trio. Grand Champion Bantam, Grand Champion Trio.

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S. Robert Powell, Carbondale, and George Schroeder traveled together to this two-day poultry convention, which was hosted by the West Central Ohio Poultry Breeders Association. Powell, also a poultry fancier, serves as the director of APA District 2, an area that includes PA, NY, NJ, DE, MD, and DC.

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Congratulations-and hats off-to George Schroeder: poultry breeder, exhibitor, promoter, and judge.



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# Wayne Poultry Man Earns National Recognition

WAYNE — People who know poultry, probably know a thing or two about George Schroeder of Prompton.

Schroeder, who served as president of the Wayne County Fair for nearly a decade starting in 1990, received a lifetime achievement award from the American Poultry Association.

## JUDGE IN 1949

The award was presented by APA president Pat Malone during the two-day national convention hosted by the West Central Ohio Poultry Breeders' Association in Wapakoneta, OH, March 17.

But a half century before that, Schroeder became a Poultry Fancier, joined the American Poultry Association in about 1940 and continues to be a life member of the organization.

Less than a decade later, Schroeder became a general-licensed APA judge at the 76th annual convention held in Honesdale in 1949, and began judging national competitions the next year at the request of Paul Ives. At the Boston Show that year, hosted by Plymouth Rock Club, he began a 50-year career as one of the most highly respected AP poultry judges in America.

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Once you get in to the above, you can get into any thing that Mrs. Ferguson has except for a MEMBERS ONLY area that you would need a password to get into.

Hope this info will help.

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I don't know if you remember our conversation a few months ago but I contacted you concerning American Game Bantams. I have checked into it and there is an effort to start an American Game Bantam Club and Doug Huggins has all the information you need. I have forwarded you this request for information to go in the newsletter so you might contribute to the education of us all concerning the American Game Bantam. Thanks...Rob Glidewell

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Monday, March 19

Rob:

I am very pleased to learn that a club is being formed for American Game Bantams. At the APA semiannual at Wapakoneta, OH this past weekend, I was pleased to see four Brown Red American Game bantams (2 cocks, 1 pullet, 1 cockerel) in the show. They were very nice. They were shown by Brian Claybaugh, 11245 State Route 65, Wapakoneta, OH 45895.

As I perhaps mentioned in our phone conversation of several months ago: I have written an article on American Game Bantams that will be published in this year's "APA Yearbook." Also, I have written an article on Frank L. Gary (who created American Game Bantams) that will be published in this year's "ABA Yearbook."

I will now check out Doug Huggins' website.

Thank you.

S. Robert Powell



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**THE UNITED  
ORPINGTON CLUB**  
By Warren Tye  
Secretary-Treasurer

The Winter Newsletter, The ALL-Orp went out to all current members. If you think you should have received one and didn't please let me know. We have a few extra copies and I can send you one. The Membership and Breed list was in this issue. As usual I goofed up on the list and forgot to put the key at the top. S = standard, B = Bantam, but = buff, LA = black, blue = blue, and w = white. I think most folks can figure this out.

I took my first eggs to the hatchery today. All I had were a few buff eggs from a new male I got and he didn't get along with the other males and was in a pen with the old buff hens. My other females have been separated from any male of different variety for over a week. The males are in with them now. I think I will wait another week before I start to save any eggs.

Bob Jones sent me the English class pages from The Book of Poultry, by Tomas F. McGrew, with plates by Edwin Megargee and Published in 1926 by Thomas Nelson & Sons. It is really interesting, wit' descriptions and origins of the four varieties, Black, Buff, White and Blue that we

have today and Jubilee, Spangled, Cuckoo, and Columbian. All of these came in both single comb and rose comb. He makes a real point of researching the breeding of your breeders as well as there appearance. This information was lost on my desk and finally worked its way to the top. I want to thank Bob for his kindness. That is the great thing about the Fancy, every one seems to help each other. I am afraid I receive more than I give.

The next big poultry thing on my schedule is the is The Pacific Poultry Association show at Roseville, California the end of January. I hope I see a lot of you west coast folks there.

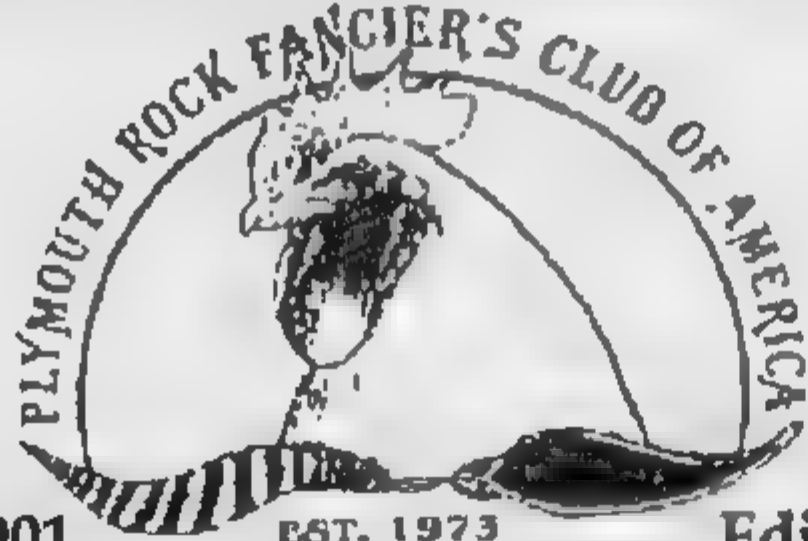
We still get new members and also lose some. Please see our ad in the Orpington Section of the Poultry Press for information on joining The United Orpington Club.





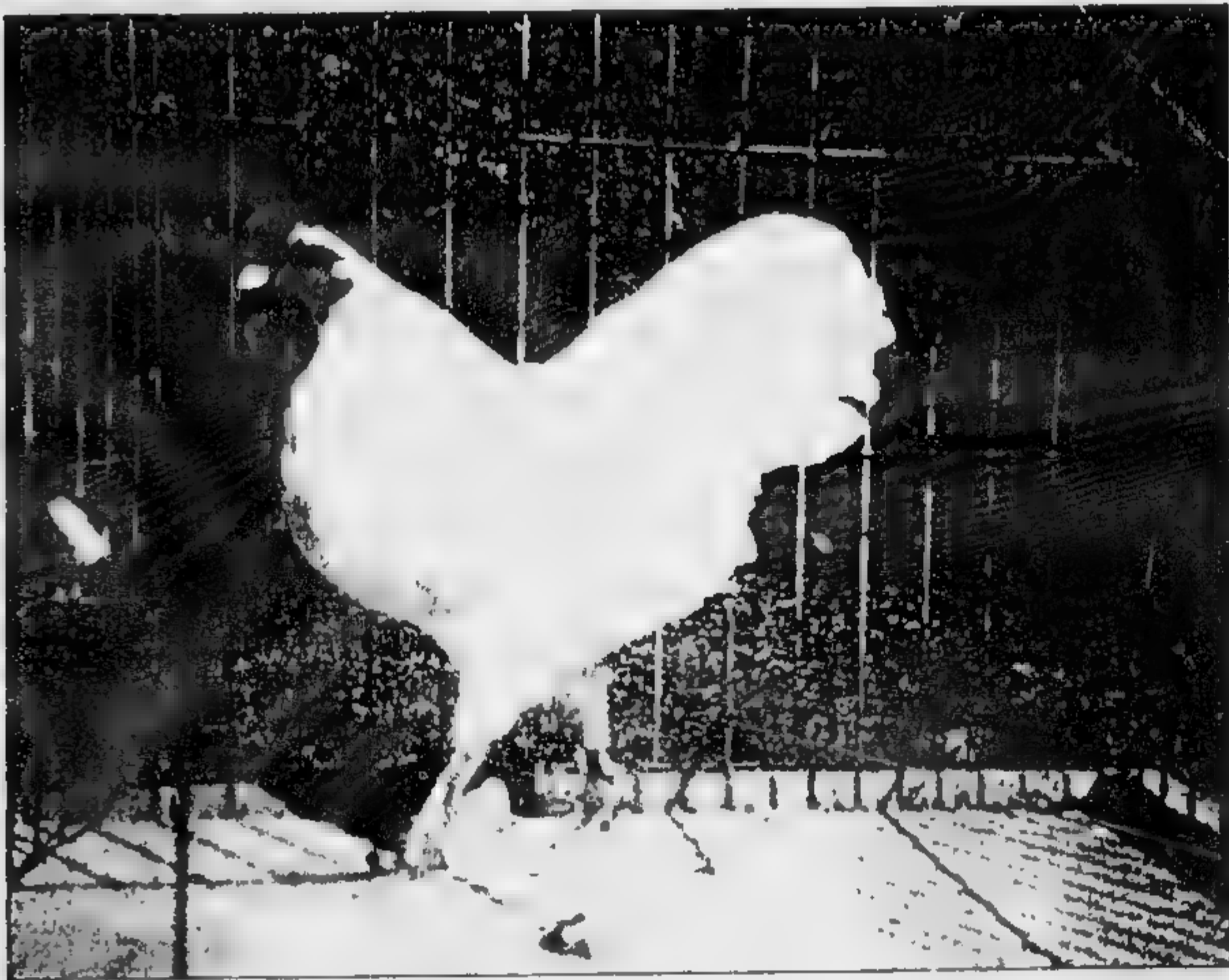
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# Plymouth Rock Fanciers Club



Winter, 2000/2001

Editor: Kirk Keene



Featured Member  
***Twin Cedar Farm***  
*Houston, Delaware*

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## FEATURED PRFC MEMBER

If there is a modern day Rock legend, Shelby Harrington would be that man. Hailing from the state of Delaware, Shelby (aka Twin Cedar Farm) dominates Rock classes in both large fowl and bantam. He is no stranger to Champion's Row, and is a tough customer in the show hall. However competitive he may be, Shelby is the first to offer assistance or advice for the new Rock breeder. He is a class-act, and his dedication to the club has helped the PRFC enjoy great success as the premier breed club. The knowledge he has agreed to share in this interview can help all of us become better breeders and exhibitors. Thanks Shelby!

### Q. Where did you get your start in Plymouth Rocks?

I got started in the Fancy (I believe) in 1969. I started with Barred Rock bantams, which I purchased from David Rines. I have not seen anything like them since. I also had the large Barred Rocks that I got from Joe Roltele in VA. I later got White Rocks in large and bantam. I had to get rid of the birds in 1978 because my work would not allow me to tend the birds in the proper way. I got birds again in 1994. I went to a farm auction in the area and a local breeder had five pens of White Rock bantams in the sale. I bought all five pens and took them home. I picked out two pair to keep, and took the remaining birds back to the auction the following week. Greg English, Charlie Wabeck, Mike Waski, and Norman Ennis gave me eggs and birds to get started.

### Q. Who were your early influences and mentors?

My early influences were Charlie Wabeck, Jim Rines, David Rines, and others. I used to go to the shows and listen to the old breeders such as John Kriner, Larry Hancock, Bruno Bortner, and many others. I learned most of my abilities from this, and the School of Hard Knock.

### Q. How many do you keep, and how many of each do you raise of each?

I now only breed White Rocks in large and bantam, and White Wyandottes in large and bantam. I also keep a few Embden geese. I raise about 100 each of large and bantam.

### Q. How do you raise your birds (pen size, brooding information, etc)?

I start my birds in small brooder houses. They are kept there until the weather breaks. When they are feathered enough, I open the doors and range them until just before the show season. I separate the pullets and cockerels when the males become active. My birds don't go into individual pens until about two weeks prior to the show. Once the males are shown, they stay in individual pens until they go into the breeding pens or are sold. Females are turned back out to range after the show.

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**What faults do you see in the showroom that bothers you most?**

For the most part, show committees do a good job. I guess the worst is birds that are not cared for. I've seen good birds as shows that were missing wing and tail feathers, etc.

**Q. What can be done to correct these faults?**

These faults can be corrected by the breeder and handler. Don't show birds that are not in condition, or does not meet the Standard. People need to take better care of their birds 365 days a year, not just a few days before the show.

**Q. What are important points to watch in the breeding pens?**

Breeding is a very serious affair. Birds that go into the breeding pen must have **type**. Look at the Standard and then make sure the birds that are chosen meet the Standard. Also remember, "you can't get what you ain't got"! For example, if you lack yellow leg color, you will not obtain it if your breeding birds don't have it. Never breed fault to fault. If you need better combs, use birds with the best combs you can find, but make sure they have type. I breed for type first each year. I also try to improve on an area that I think should be better. For the past five years, I've been trying to improve feather quality on the White bantams. This year, I raised males with tail feathers as wide as the females. There has never been a perfect bird, but we should all try to breed one each year.

**Q. What do you enjoy most about breeding and exhibiting Plymouth Rocks?**

I enjoy watching the birds develop, to see if what I have been breeding for has been a success. I also enjoy showing several deep in each class and winning first, second and third. And of course, winning Best of Breed and Champion of Show. I also enjoy the Rock breeders' company at the shows. If I get beat, it just means that I have to work harder next year. Most of the Rock breeders are good losers, as well as good winners. They are just good people.

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You will notice that our Newsletter is in a different format this quarter. As our printer is not able to handle the 11" x 17" paper used in previous newsletters, we are unable to proof copies before going to print. By using standard 8.5" x 11", our job is made much easier!



## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

TOM GUDAHL

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Happy Holidays from Minnesota,

Well it is hard to believe that it is a new year already. This past year has been a great one for the Plymouth Rock Club members as I see new names in the press each month with those Rocks on Champion Row. This is a plus for our club and most of all the Breed. On the other hand as we look at all the positive things there may be some negative also and the one thing that comes to mind is the loss of Mr. Charlie Wabeck. It will take ten new members to regain the knowledge that went with him.

I am sure there are several people that have those incubators turned on and ready for the big hatching season. I myself have some in and expect my first one to hatch Jan. 6th. I do not wish to have the bantams laying so well yet do to earliness, however, with only one breeding room that is heated and the lights are on the standards, I must gather bantam eggs also. The fertility is not terrible, however, the egg eating is. I have never had such a bad year with eating of the eggs. I have added plastic eggs and tried the vinegar and bread trick, so if anyone has a remedy that has worked for them please feel free to drop me a line or an e-mail.

I had a great conversation with David Adkins the other night and he had mentioned how cold it was in Ohio. He said it was down to the 20's as I chuckled he said it probably isn't even that warm up in MN. Huh? I went on to tell him it has gotten to 65 below windchill and we have had a total of 36 inches of snow so far and the month of March is our big snow month, so needless to say, I am tired of cleaning my yard and letting truck warm up for 20 min. before I head to work. The chicken barn is heated and kept at 55-60 deg. I do not like to work in the cold. As we got on to other things, David had told me that he would not be able to continue to do the job of Secretary due to his other commitments with the ABA. He is willing to help out with the job until we are able to find a replacement. I will be taking ph one calls, E-mails, letters from anyone that would be interested in this job. David has been the BACK BONE to this club and I want to THANK him for all his hard work and dedication he has put forth and he will be greatly missed.

I would like to thank Kirk once again for the job he is doing with the newsletter and to let everyone know how hard it is to put a newsletter together with out any news. If you have anything to add or some secrets you will let out of the bag on washing, breeding, or anything, sent it to Kirk.

I would like to thank al the Dist. Directors for the jobs they have done this past year and hope they will continue to serve the membership as we are the GREATEST BREED CLUB!!! HAPPY NEW YEAR EVERYONE!!!

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## SECRETARY'S MESSAGE

DAVID ADKINS

Winter is definitely here in Lucasville. I suppose the mild winters we have had for the past several years have spoiled us. It is hard on the birds as the water freezes and so they don't get enough to drink. I do try to check them as often as possible but it is not easy when you are away at work.

Elsewhere in this issue you will find a complete listing the the Exhibitor of the Year points for 2000. Many of the races are very close with some important show reports still out. I have included a list so that you can check to see if the shows you attended have had their meet reports received. If not, please contact the show secretary to correct the problem. As of this writing, I have mailed all awards for the reports listed. If you have not received your awards, please feel free to drop me a note listing what you won and where and I will send the appropriate award.

I want to take this opportunity to announce my resignation as Secretary/Treasurer of our great club. If all goes as I hope, my responsibilities with the American Bantam Association are about to increase. This opportunity has been moved forward by two years and so I will be unable to keep my commitment to Tom to serve another four years. I will continue with the job until a replacement can be found, until the end of 2001 if necessary. I would like to say that I have served many fine poultry fanciers and made many great friendships through this club. I do intend to remain active in the club, but I need more time to devote to the ABA. If you are interested in this position, please don't hesitate to give me a call. I will be happy to tell you what the job entails and refer your interest on to the Officers and Directors.

I had better close for now and get this in the mail to Kirk. By the way, I think he is doing a great job with the newsletter. Hope to see you at the shows this spring.

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### 2002 National Placement

The 2002 National meet of the PRFC will be held in the Eastern Section. We have two clubs willing to host this meet. Please vote for one and send your ballot to: Russell Hamman, 172 Amelia-Olive Branch Road, Amelia, OH 45102 by March 24th.

Frederick, Maryland: \_\_\_\_\_

Richmond, Virginia: \_\_\_\_\_

## VICE PRES. MESSAGE

HUGH BARNETT

From the hills of East Tennessee, Happy New Year 2001. I'm sure breeding pens are in full swing or soon will be. Spring shows are coming soon. Lots, lots, lots to do. This is your club, let the officers know what you want to do. Did you every ask why some Rock people also show Wyandottes? Well, Rocks and Wyandotts grow well together and you can show in the S.C.C. L. and R.C.C.L. classes in the ABA so you have two shots at Show Champion. Other breeds that I think will work to together are:

Leghorn/ Rosecomb	SCCL/RCCL
Old English/ Sebrights	OE/RCCL
Modern/Cornish	Modern/ AOCCL
Japs/ Cochins	SCCL/FL

Oh well, just a thought. Have a good hatching season and spring shows. Pleas send in your bids for Rock meets. See you around.

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## DISTRICT 2 UPDATE

William D. Lewis

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The weather has been cold in Delaware; in fact it has been one of the coldest winters I have experienced in quite some time. Considering I grew up at the foot of the North Carolina mountains and lived in Roanoke, VA during the winter of 1997, this is quite a statement for me to make. Despite the weather, my birds are doing considerably well. My females are housed in a horse barn whereas my males are housed in a back pasture in a smaller barn. Regardless of the shelter provided I have been breaking ice(water) on a daily basis! Chickens are extremely hardy animals. Keep them dry and provide them some shelter from the wind and they survive quite well in the coldest of temperatures.

I went a year without having any Plymouth Rocks but thanks to the kindness of Richard Hickman, I am once again raising Plymouth Rock Bantams. Richard provided me with a nice trio of Columbian bantams at the Virginia Poultry Breeder's show in Richmond, VA this past November. Richard raises some excellent Columbian bantams as well as White bantams and White large rocks. Speaking of Richmond, this is by far one of my favorite show. The show hall (2,000+birds) is always full of quality birds in both bantams and large fowl and served as a nice place for exhibitors from the North and South to come together and exhibit their birds. The fellowship is great at the show as well as at the steak house on Saturday night. Plymouth Rocks did quite well in Richmond with Twin Cedar Farms winning Champion SCCL on a white cockerel out of a nice class of rock bantams. Reserve of Breed from this class went to Richard Hickman on a Columbian pullet. Twin Cedar Farms also won Reserve Champion Large Fowl on a white cockerel. The following Plymouth Rocks have found their way to champion row in District 2 this fall (if I have left anyone out please let me know and I will publish your win in the next newsletter):

Grand Champion Bantam-Yankee Classic-Richard Hickman-white pullet  
Super Grand Champion-Yankee Classic-Richard Hickman-Lg white cockerel  
Res. Ch. Large Fowl-Yankee Classic-Richard Hickman-Lg white pullet  
Res. Ch. SCCL-Yankee Classic-Richard Hickman-columbian pullet  
Grand Ch. of Show-York, PA-Richard Hickman-columbian pullet  
Res. Ch. SCCL-York, PA-Richard Hickman-White pullet  
Grand Ch Lg Fowl-York, PA-Twin Cedar Farm-Lg white pullet  
Ch. SCCL-Bloomsburg, PA-Richard Hickman-white pullet  
Res. American-Bloomsburg, PA-Don Emery-Lg buff cockerel

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#### District 2 update cont.

If you are like me you are putting your breeding pens together, especially if you have large fowl. I will have a few pens of New Hampshire bantams, one pen of Columbian Rock bantams (thank again Richard) in addition to some planned artificial breedings of my Cochin bantams (black and blue). The artificial breeding takes a little extra effort, but goes a long way towards accurate record retention regarding the pedigree of progeny.

We have a National Meet coming our way in 2001. I believe Richmond, VA and Frederick, MD have submitted bids for the National. I would like to place our 2001 District meet with the club that is not granted the National, however, I would appreciate your input regarding these two meets. Feel free to contact me at any time. I can be reached during the day at 302-934-4340 and via e-mail at [bill.lewis@intervet.com](mailto:bill.lewis@intervet.com).

Best wishes to all of you in the New Year and keep raising those rocks.

Sincere regards,  
William D. Lewis

#### DISTRICT 4 UPDATE

KIRK KEENE

Another year of shows behind us, and a crucial breeding season ahead. Not happy with your show results in 2000? Only one way to remedy that, and that is to work harder in 2001. I think many breeders try to do it all in a few weeks prior to the show season, instead of good daily management. As Shelby points out in the Featured Member article, you have to do it 365 days a year if you want consistent success. Every step is important, but probably none more so than the brooding stage. Chicks that are neglected seldom reach their full potential at maturity. This is something to remember on those cold winter mornings, when it's easier to stay in bed than take care of the birds. Several years ago when I was playing "catch up" to my buddy, Hugh Barnett, I would get up in the morning with the knowledge that Hugh was down in Tennessee, taking good care of his birds. You can't expect to get to the top without giving them your best, and sometimes, that's still not enough.

As predicted, Rocks were among the top breeds again in terms of Class Champions, and Best and Reserve of Show for the year 2000. No small wonder, with the dedication we have in our membership. I urge all of you to help play a part in the club. This is your club, and will only be as good as you make it. Take the time to write up an article, send in some pictures, or ask a question to be put in print. See something you like, or dislike? Let me know. I can use all the ideas and help I can get!

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A new feature to those with Internet access is the creation of a Plymouth Rock Message Board. This is a place where Rock breeders can post questions or observations, advertise or seek birds, or just stay in touch with other Rock breeders. The initial response has been terrific, and there have been some interesting conversations taking place. If you would like to check out the forum, the website address is:

[www.insidetheweb.com/mbs.cgi/mb1277645](http://www.insidetheweb.com/mbs.cgi/mb1277645)

Many thanks to new Rock breeder, Mike Sayre, for creating this site. Mike, along with his partner in crime Matt Lhamon, have joined forces to breed the Sherman line of White Rock bantams. With that quality Sherman bloodline, expect to see these guys on Champion's Row in the future.

If you need a meet placement in District 4, send me a letter and I will get one out to you. I usually try to place meets where we have the most competition.

## **BREEDING BUFF COLOR**

Mark Peterson

When I was in Australia in June with Jim Adkin's group, I was asked by Adrian Kuys to write an article on Buff color for their Plymouth Rock Club newsletter. Adrian assured me that he would keep after me until I finished this article. I assured him that I would do my best to put my thoughts to paper for you.

Where to begin is a question in it's self. So I will give some background on myself and any qualifications that I have a right to write this article. My first fowls that I raised as a young man were Large Partridge Cochins. I worked with them for about four years. Somewhere along the way these birds picked up Pullorium Typhoid and as nice as they were they had to be destroyed. So went my career with Partridge Cochins.

Liking the Cochin Breed itself, I next was able to secure Large Buff Cochin chicks from Arthur Manly in Fresno, CA. This was in the spring of 1968. So I started my journey with Buff colored fowl. We should back up here just a minute and as a foot note say that Arthur Manly was a good friend of Marcus Davidson of Bath, PA. He secured his breeding stock from Davidson.



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Marcus Davidson was the foremost breeder of the buff colored birds in the U.S. A. at that time. In my opinion probably the greatest breeder of buff colored birds we will ever have. On his farm he raised all Buff colors of birds: Cochins, Orpingtons, Rocks, Leghorns, and Minorcas. My first trip to his farm was in the early 70's. At that time Marcus was in his late 70's and had primarily Large and Bantam Buff Cochins, Buff Leghorns and a few Buff Rocks. Upon our visit we discussed, at length, buff colors. From the seminar he was conducting for my benefit, I obtained as much information as I could. Marcus Davidson was a very humble person and was totally unselfish with any information that he could convey that would help me with my breeding program.

Here is what Marcus Davidson told me about buff color and since that time been my goal in trying to breed good buff color. The shade of buff that you desire to reproduce doesn't make any difference whether it's a light shade of buff or a darker shade of buff as long as it's even. By even I mean the hackle, the breast, the saddle and under fluff. As for the under fluff or under color the lighter the surface color the lighter the shade of under color will be, the darker the surface color, the darker the under color will need to be. Under color will be the hardest to keep in the hackle area as it always wants to get lighter in that area.

It has been my experience that the darker your shade of buff becomes the more pepper you will get in the tails of the females and the males can get to the point where they will get solid black tail feathers. In these birds you will more than likely have outstanding under color good right to the skin. This is true even in the hackle area which we said was hard to achieve. On the whole these birds for the most part will be too dark a shade of buff bordering on reddish, especially in the males. The females however, may be useful if you are trying to darken your birds in buff color. I will say here that in a breeding female with good body type, I'm not afraid to use one with some pepper in her tail feathers as I think it helps with the under color. But for show purposes she would be discounted for this.

Now on the other hand if your birds are a lighter shade of buff you will need to guard against the opposite of pepper in the tails. This will be light under color and signs of white in the primaries and tow feathering in Cochins. In Plymouth Rocks, I've found with the light color Buff you also tend to lose leg color with this light surface color. You also will usually have poorer eye color especially in the females, but will eliminate the pepper in the tails of the males especially.

When breeding the lighter shade of buff pay close attention to the quill color in the primaries. Use birds that have as good a buff quill as possible. This I have found will also help hold your buff color and keep the white out of the primaries.

Peterson article cont.

I've listed some things to watch for with both the darker shades and lighter shades of buff. Ideally a good medium shade would be perfect, but this is where the challenge comes in trying to keep your medium ideal buff color. My experience has been that it's easier to lighten the color than darken the color, especially with females.

I've had even more trouble with Buff Plymouth Rock Females holding their color. It may be because they lay eggs at a younger age than the Cochin females do. From whichever shade of buff color you choose to breed you need to be careful not to breed from too much of an extreme color difference. By doing this you will probably be all right with the males, but the females will be mealy. Their color won't be a nice even shade of buff. Instead will look dusted with cornstarch or flour. To avoid this we need to go with only small color differences when trying to make your shade of buff a little darker or lighter. I think this keeps the shafting out of the feathers also. Shafting once you get it is hard to get rid of, so I always select away from it if possible.

This may be the place to mention that shade from the sun will help keep the buff color that you've bred. When I visited Marcus Davidson all those years ago, I thought his place somewhat overgrown with tall horse weeds, we call them, about 8 feet tall and big wide leaves. It looked overgrown, but that was the idea. They made a perfect sunshade and his buff colored birds were a beautiful even shade of buff color. How he ever caught a bird in that tangle, I never figured out, but they had great color. So some good shade will help you keep the evenness of color, especially in the females, as they seem to bleach out the most from too much exposure to the sun. Here again I think it's compounded when they are laying eggs, as not only do they lose skin pigment, eye color, they also lose some feather color.

I've come to the conclusion in my 25 plus years of breeding buff colored birds that if it was that easy to do, more people would breed buff colored birds and the color would be more popular.

I like all colors of birds. But even if I'm partial to buff colored birds, I think that I've come to appreciate a good colored bird even more over the years as I learned the complexities and difficulties of breeding a colored bird.

In closing, I hope that I've answered some of the questions surrounding buff color that you may have had. I tried to keep with some of the basic things that I look for and personal experiences that I've had breeding the buff colored birds. Nothing beats some trial and error. After all these years every year is still a learning experience for me. Some years you take two steps forward and the next year one backward. It just takes determination on your part to reach that elusive goal of the perfect type bird and the color you have been striving for.

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## PLYMOUTH ROCK FANCIERS CLUB

### EXHIBITOR OF THE YEAR POINTS AS OF 12/28/00

#### LARGE FOWL

##### Barred:

Lloyd Bridges	47
Dick Horstman	20
A.J. Sanders	19
Randy Jackson	19
Carl Fosbrink	12
James Fegan	10
Bill Krueger & Family	9
Charles Campfield	8.5
Marty Dudley	3
Rick Pimentel	3
David Swaim	1.5
Rock Hill Poultry	.5

##### Buff:

Mark Peterson	45
Dirk Nieuwland	35
Mr. Sutterer	8
Kraig Shafer	5
David Swaim	1

##### Black:

##### Columbian:

Bill Krueger & Family	6
Randy Jackson	5
Rose Marie Isgrigg	2
Louis Sanderfeld	.5

##### Partridge:

Lloyd Bridges	39
Randy Jackson	19
Zelotes Eshcmeyer	18.5
Bill Krueger and Family	7
Louis Sandersfeld	3.5
Norman Ennis	1

##### Silver Pencilled:

Robert Muphy	1
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##### White:

Twin Cedar Farm	152
Buddy Hudson	132.5
Tom Gudahl & Family	125
Rev. Paul Ashbrook	117.5
Perry Wolff	74
Pete Akers	43
Richard & Lawanda Knox	41
Micheal Becker	22.5
Kraig Shafer	19.5
Dr. Charles Wabeck	18.5
Burkett Poultry Farm	18
Richard Hickman	13
Jim Volk	10
Abbey Wilson	7
Mary Lackey-Russell	7
W. B. Knott, Jr.	5
Keene's Feather Farm	2
David Christy	1
Starlene Kalinski	1
Larry Lawrence	.5

#### BANTAMS

##### Barred:

D L D Bantam Farm	241.5
Gerald Elam	161
Eric Wilhelmi	145
Adrian&MaryAnn Rademacher	118
David & Joyce MacNiven	95
Rev. Paul Ashbrook	85.5



**Barred Bantams Cont.**

John Gohm	69.5
Kenneth Mainville	53
Max Stacy	51.5
Tony Albritton	49.5
Walter Reichert	38
Mike Wasylkowski	34
Lloyd Bridges	10.5
English Family	17
Daniel Dysart	16.5
Bill Grimes	16
Hugh Barnett	12
Kraig Shafer	11
Rock Hill Poultry	10
Charles Campfield	9
Mark Regula	9
David Swaim	7

**Black:**

Keene's Feather Farm	76
Charles and Sara Painter	61.5
Max Stacy	27.5
English Family	31
David Swaim	13
Brad Jones	11
Norman Ennis	4
Greg Chamness	2.5
Gordon and Marian Burns	1

**Blue:**

Normann Ennis	3
Max Stacy	.5

**Buff:**

Rev. Paul Ashbrook	68.5
Max Stacy	58
English Family	34.5
David Jett	26
James Costello	13
Charles Campfield	2
Stu Luckhardt	1
Lloyd Bridges	.5

**Buff Columbian:**

Bill Krueger & Family	3
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**Columbian:**

Richard Hickman	339.5
Max Stacy	163
Floyd Yates	68.5
Keene's Feather Farm	34.5
Hugh Barnett	19
Robert Hawes	18.5
Bill Krueger & Family	18
Gary Underwood	17
Richard Schock	10
Don Kelsey	8
Walter Reichert	7.5
Charles Faherty	5
Michael Becker	4.5
Thomas A. Adams	2.5

**Partridge:**

Max Stacy	98
Joe Le Gendre	56.5
Gordon & Marian Burns	43
Norman Ennis	18
Robert Richie	14.5
David Adkins	12
Daniel Dysart	10.5
Richard Lunz	7
Bill Krueger & Family	6
Walter Reichert	4.5

**Silver Pencilled:**

Eric Wilhelmi	29
Max Stacy	24.5
Norman Ennis	18
Brad Jones	13
Daniel Dysart	9
John Gohm	8
Joe Le Gendre	3.5
Robert Murphy	3
Stu Luckhardt	1.5

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**White:**

Twin Cedar Farm	931.5
Keene's Feather Farm	838
Rev. Paul Ashbrook	381
Jerry McCarty	161
Perry Wolf	149
Kraig Shafer	100.5
Tony Albritton	93.5
Richard Hickman	82
Mike Franklin	72
Tom Gudahl & Family	71.5
Don Kelsey	67.5
Pete McConnell	59.5
Gadberry's Bantams	59
Michael Becker	55
David Christy	54.5
Greg Chamness	51
David & Joyce MacNiven	43.5
Hugh Barnett	36
Brad Jones	33
Gordon & Marian Burns	29.5
Bruce and Lowell Sherman	29.5
Dale Postma	28
Max Stacy	27.5
Kenneth Mainville	27
Dr. Charles Wabeck	24.5
W. B. Knott, Jr.	10.5
Mary Lackey-Russell	6

**Best Display Winners:****Large Fowl:**

Tom Gudahl Family (White)	3
Buddy Hudson (White)	2
Twin Cedar Farm (White)	1
Lloyd Bridges (Partridge)	1
Michael Becker (White)	1
Mr. Sutterer (Buff)	1

**Bantam:**

Keene's Feather Farm (White)	12
Jerry McCarty (White)	2
Lloyd Bridges (Barred&White)	2
Adrian&MaryAnn Rademacher (Barred)	2
Tom Gudahl & Family (White)	2
Hugh Barnett (White)	2
DLD Bantam Farm Barred)	1
Gadberry's Bantams (White)	1
Twin Cedar Farm (White)	1
Mike Franklin (White)	1
Richard Hickman (Columbian)	1
Michael Becker (White)	1
Rock Hill Poultry (Barred)	1

**Best Bird by a Junior:****Large Fowl:**

Kyle Dudley (Barred)	3
Pete Akers (White)	2
John Wilson (White)	1
Gudahl Kids (White)	1
Laura & Lucas Burkett (White)	1

**Bantam:**

John Wilson (White)	2
Gudahl Kids (White)	2
Jessica Chamness (White)	2
Zachary Hartman (White)	1
Kyle Hughes (White)	1
Abigail Ryan (White)	1
Barbara Bosworth (Columbian)	1
Tyler Jackson (Barred)	1
Krueger Kids (White)	1
Kylie Riffel (White)	1
Amber Helget (Barred)	1

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Niagra Fanciers

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Abilene Poultry Assoc.  
Three Amigos  
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Central Carolina Agriculture Fair  
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By PETER BECKER  
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Wayne Independent photo by Peter Becker  
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**WAYNE COUNTY-**  
George Schroeder, who at 88 is still recognized as a prime promoter of the Wayne County Fair, which he has loved and attended for most of his life, has been honored for his achievements in the field of poultry.

The Prompton resident was presented an honor/life time achievement award by the American Poultry Association (APA) on March 17. The award was president by the president of the organization, Pat Malone, at the APA's semiannual convention at Wapakoneta, Ohio.

S. Robert Powell, Carbondale, and George Schroeder traveled together to this two day convention, which was hosted by the West Central Ohio Poultry Breeders Association. Powell, also a poultry fancier, serves as the director of APA District 2, serving a six-state area that includes Pennsylvania.

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On Saturday, June 25, 1949, at the joint APA/ABA meet at Honesdale, the Cocky Crowd sponsored and organized a mammoth poultry parade down Honesdale's Main Street. Robert Southerton served as chairman, and there were 16 bands and drum and bugle corps, 50 floats, and a host of other entries set up. An estimated 10,000 people turned out for the parade, which unfortunately started with a sudden and violent rainstorm, and according to the Centennial book of the Wayne County Agricultural Society, ruined the whole effort.

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#### Since the 1920's

Schroeder's association with the Wayne County Fair extends back to the 1920's, when as a boy, he started exhibiting—poultry, of



course. He reflected that when he was a youth, there were many thousands of chickens on farms across Wayne County, and now there are hardly any.

Poultry was a major contributor to the Wayne County economy from about 1930 through 1965. The Wayne County Poultry Association organized in 1911.

From 1990 to 1999, Schroeder served as president of the Wayne County Fair. During George's time as president, Richard Laabs, RD Hawley, served as poultry superintendent at the fair. In 2000, George Schroeder again became the poultry superintendent at the 138th Wayne County Fair.

He stated that the Fair Board is in need of a poultry director to succeed him; in the meantime, he is still lending a hand.

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**Subject:** Re: American Game Bantam Club

**Date:** March 19, 2001 4:25:18 PM EST

**To:** [srobertpowell@juno.com](mailto:srobertpowell@juno.com) [Add to Address Book](#)

**CC:**

Bob

Great to hear from you. I have been able to find some golden and silver duckwing pit bantams that are blue legged and the pullets will definately fit the bill for American Games. If they did not have feather damage I would show them immediately. I look forward to doing it next show season. I think you will be an asset to the club and I know Doug would appreciate your input. Keep in touch...Rob

>From: s robert powell To: "Rob Glidewell" Subject: American Game Bantam  
>Club Date: Mon, 19 Mar 2001 13:44:35 -0500 (EST)

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>Monday, March 19

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>Rob:

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>I am very pleased to learn that a club is being formed for American Game  
>Bantams. At the APA semiannual at Wapakoneta, OH this past weekend, I was  
>pleased to see four Brown Red American Game bantams (2 cocks, 1 pullet, 1  
>cockerel) in the show. They were very nice. They were shown by Brian  
>Claybaugh, 11245 State Route 65, Wapakoneta, OH 45895.

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>As I perhaps mentioned in our phone conversation of several months ago: I  
>have written an article on American Game Bantams that will be published in  
>this year's "APA Yearbook." Also, I have written an article on Frank L.  
>Gary (who created American Game Bantams) that will be published in this  
>year's "ABA Yearbook."

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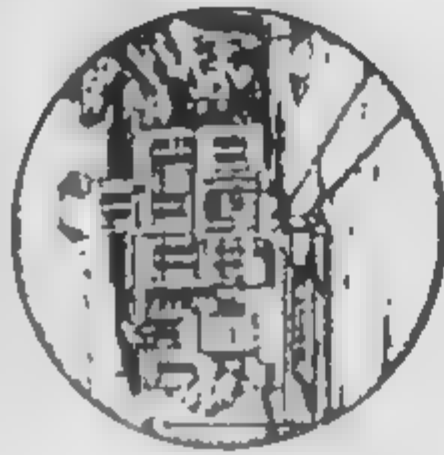
>I will now check out Doug Huggins' website.

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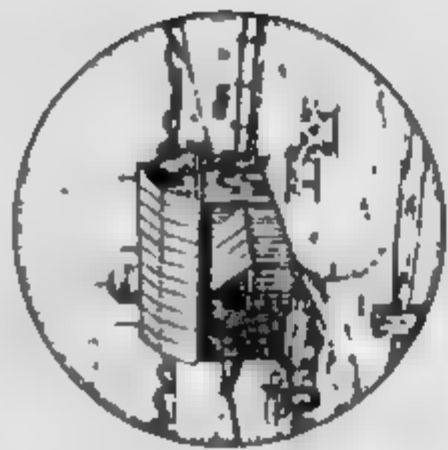
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>S. Robert Powell



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"It was wonderful. The largest parade to come down Main Street," Mr. Schroeder said.

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March 27, 2001

Dear Mr. Powell:

Congratulations on so many fine achievements. Recently I found you on the television program for the Historical Society, and then received the Avian Club Newsletter which noted all you were accomplishing.

We are very thankful for you at the Harford Fair. Your service, the efficient manner in which you run the department and cooperation is appreciated by all.

Sincerely,

Phyllis Ridgeway  
Secretary

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March 15, 2001

Dear Mr. Powell,

I am writing to ask that you please call the fair office at your earliest convenience. We have left many phone messages for you which it seems you are not receiving, that is why I am writing in hopes you will receive this.

Phyllis has some questions to ask you and I need to know if you want the same Poultry judge's this year and if you have any changes to make in the premium book.

We realize you haven't been to the last few fair meetings and hope everything is alright with you. If you have a new phone number or address could you please send it along to the office.

Hope to hear from you soon.

Sincerely,

*Denise*

Denise Hubbard  
Fair Office





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- 3rd Spring May 26-27

### SUMMER FLYS

- 1st Summer June 9-10
- LONG DAY June 23-24
- 3rd Summer July 7-8

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- 1st Fall Sept 15-16
- 2nd Fall Sept 29-30
- 3rd Fall Oct 13-14
- Stock fly Oct 27-28

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# FLYING TIPPLER ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA

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## President's Message

March, 2001

Now that the calendar says that it is spring, I hope that most of you are well into a successful breeding season. Here in Minnesota I still have close to 2 feet of the white stuff on the ground. It is starting to leave though with the temperatures getting above freezing the past few weeks most of the days.

Paired up my Tippers a couple weeks ago. Many of the pairs have settled in, some not, normal startup to the season. I just got back in the country from a business trip and have not even checked to see what the fertility percentages are.

After last Bulletin I had Ed Young step forward and volunteer to be the Eastern Vice President. Thanks Ed. We still need someone to represent the Western area. Any takers? Cannot say that the pay is great, but you will be working with a great bunch of guys and the labor is not all that difficult.

As mentioned in the last Bulletin we have a few issues that require membership input and resolution. A ballot will be found elsewhere in the Bulletin. Please take the time to vote.

The topics for consideration are.....membership and fly participation in the FTA by non-North American Tippler fanciers, flying multiple kits over a weekend FTA competition and submitting the best result and flying while timing another member's kit. There have been some comments published on these issues, it is now time to vote and resolve the questions.

**Non-North American FTA participation** - The FTA Constitution currently reads "Any person regardless of race, color, sex, creed or national origin, shall be eligible of active membership in this Association." This could be interpreted to mean that anyone throughout the world could be a member. In fact we have had members occasionally in the past who were from Britain, New Zealand, and other countries. We had the pleasure of having Wilf Lovatt as a member a few decades back. Do we want to change this to limit FTA membership to North America? The FTA Constitution says that members may compete in the FTA sponsored flying competitions in Official or Honor Systems. If we want to limit the membership participation to only North American members while allowing non-North American membership we will have to add a section to the Constitution, probably in Article VII, so stating.

**Multiple kits** - If we want to clarify that a member can only enter and fly one kit per competition a new rule will have to be added, if ratified by the FTA membership.

**Timing while flying** - We need to choose from a couple different scenarios, either not allow it at all or clarify the conditions under which it can be done.

### Be sure to vote!!!

I have received a couple calls regarding Harry Smith's comments regarding designating the specific fly day when entering a weekend competition. It has not been the FTA's position that one designate and limit an entrant to specifically Saturday or Sunday. The flyer may compete on either day, whatever can be worked out with his Timer. Many times two members will pair up and time for each other on opposite days that they flew. But this was between the two and not a requirement of the FTA. Should one not have a kit that fly, the other would be allowed to fly whichever day was convenient to him. In the case of Honor System competitors, they have always had the option of either day, and have never needed to commit to one specific one prior to the fly. Other clubs might have more restrictive competition requirements, but the FTA would much rather a member compete on either day than not be allowed to fly on a specific Saturday or Sunday.

*Best Wishes, Tim*



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# FTA Membership Ballot

Please consider the following issues and vote for your preference.

## Non-North American FTA participation:

(Vote for one of the two following)

☒ Leave Article III, Section 1 as is – "Any person regardless of race, color, sex, creed or national origin, shall be eligible for active membership in the Association."

☐ Change Article III, Section 1 to – "Any person in North America regardless of race, color, sex, creed or national origin, shall be eligible for active membership in the Association."

(Vote yes or no on the following)

Add the following to the FTA Constitution, Article VIII, Flying Competition

"Participation – Any member residing in North America may enter and participate in the flying competitions sponsored by the Association."

Yes ☒

No ☐

## Multiple Kits:

(Vote yes or no on the following)

Add to the FTA Fly Rules that "A member can enter, and fly with the intention of participating, only one kit per FTA sponsored competition."

Yes ☒

No ☐

## Timing while flying:

(Vote for one of the following)

☐ Make no change.

☐ Add to the FTA Fly Rules that "A member may not fly and time in FTA competition on the same day, unless his fly has been previously terminated by disqualification or kit dropped and secured."

☒ Add to the FTA Fly Rules that "A member may time and simultaneously fly a kit only if both kits can be viewed from a position that assures continuous compliance with the FTA Fly Rules."

Send filled ballot, postmarked by April 16, 2001 to:

Tim Kvidera  
13610 Johnson St. N.E.  
Anoka, MN 55304